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Only the Republicans and the Democrats have full slates for the state and federal offices and, for the most part, the county offices.

McCarthy's Presidential bid is the only name appearing on the Independent listing and the American Independent party places no one for the Presidency.

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Ford, Esch, Stockman Deserve Your Vote

Come Tuesday the reader will have a choice of nine selections for the partisan contests.

By party label they are Democrat, Republican, American Independent, Human Rights, Socialist Workers, Socialist Labor, United States Labor, Libertarian and Independent.

Only the Republicans and the Democrats have full slates for the state and federal offices and, for the most part, the county offices.

McCarthy's Presidential bid is the only name appearing on the Independent listing and the American Independent party places no one for the Presidency.

So, following in the custom from the past several generations, Tuesday's argument is confined to the Democratic vs. Republican collision.

Since on a national scale the GOP will do well to recapture a handful of the Congressional and Senatorial seats now held overwhelmingly by the Democrats, it becomes more important than ever for the sake of sanity at Washington to return Jerry Ford to the White House.

He would be the only effective brake against a partisan syndrome which since the present Congress convened in January 1975 amply demonstrates a commitment to shove the country into the type of welfare state which has brought England to such low ebb.

While Jimmy Carter has yet to give a clearcut outline of where he stands on domestic problems, particularly on how to pay for them without dressing the taxpayer in a barrel, the generalities he has tossed out throughout the campaign point to the conclusion he is a dyed in the wool advocate of the spend and tax school.

A combination of Carter and a Democratic majority in Congress foreordains the United States to a greater round of the inflation which the spend-tax formula already has put the economy out of kilter.

In foreign affairs Carter has in-

dictated nothing but ignorance and imprudence.

His speeches have ranged from isolating the nation from the world to plunging it into a Middle East battlefront by breaking off all diplomatic and economic relations with the Arab world.

The latter may be handed out purely for the consumption of the Jewish vote in this country, but simply to mention the possibility of such action shows an alarming abandon to win an election at any cost.

Ford, by contrast, calls for the only sensible approach to the international scene. Uncle Sam, if he is to escape having his beard singed off, has to pick and choose the slippery path to separating friend from foe.

Not because their fortunes are indelibly linked with the Ford-Dole ticket but because their presence in the Congress is vital to stalling the headline rush with which the Democratic majority would shove the country over the cliff, Marvin Esch should be sent to the Senate and Dave Stockman to the House of Representatives.

Since he won the Democratic Senatorial primary on August 6th, Donald Riegle, the erstwhile liberal Republican turned Democrat, has displayed the same pattern woven by Carter.

Dave Stockman's Democratic 'opponent, 'Mike' Daugherty, has not ventured many thoughts about foreign affairs but has left it perfectly clear he believes the spend-tax formula is the only way to keep the domestic show on the road.

Esch presents the opportunity to infuse some common sense into the Senate.

Stockman is the young exponent of this same middle of the road policy so badly needed in the House and not the least of all, within his own party.

We repeat.

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An almost unanswerable argument in favor of Proposal A came to my attention recently.

A friend of mine returned from a trip to Oregon only a few days ago. While he was there, he went for a walk along five miles of beach early in the morning on the day after Labor Day. On that five-mile stretch, which the day before had been jammed with thousands of people, he saw one bottle and one or two cans.

It wasn't that way in Oregon before they had a law banning throw-away containers. People can write as many letters to the editor saying that the law hasn't worked in Oregon as they want to; that five miles of clean beach on the day after Labor Day shouts them all down in my ears. We can have it like that in Michigan if enough of us vote for Proposal A.

Yours very truly,
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URGES 'YES' VOTE ON KNOWN EFFECTS

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Reaction May Be Setting In

If it is true that a large number of Americans have been turned off by the presidential campaign — and the vote, or lack of it, on November 2 will demonstrate the veracity of that — perhaps it is because many people are tired of hearing what someone else is going to do for them.

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By SCOTT WILLIAMSON
Staff Writer

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Commissioners will get raises of \$500 which amounts to increases of between 11 and 14 per cent. Commissioners noted it was the first pay raise for board members since 1974. The chairman of the county board will be paid \$5,000, committee chairmen will get \$4,500, and other commissioners will receive \$4,000. Countywide elected officials will receive increases of at least \$1,000, while judges' salaries will go up \$500 to \$1,000.

Also yesterday, the board unanimously approved the county's

1977 budget which calls for expenditures of \$11,090,700, a nine per cent increase over the current budget.

The budget, as outlined in the Oct. 21 edition of The Herald-Palladium, is increased primarily because of increases for computers, salaries, and the addition of a fourth circuit court judge and staff.

The commission in 1975 gave pay hikes to all elected officials, but the raises which commissioners voted to themselves had to be rescinded because of a state law which says a county board cannot raise its own salaries during a current term. A county board can, however, give increases to an incoming board, and every commission seat is up for election this year. Commissioner Edward Mattix, chairman of the board's affairs committee, noted the new commission salaries will be in effect through 1978.

The \$20,400 increase is the total excluding per diem allowances for commissioners, which the board also raised from \$25 to \$30. No pay hikes have been granted to regular county employees, and Personnel Director Robert Little noted the last opportunity for the board to grant those pay raises, if they are approved, would be in December.

The county's share of salaries for circuit judges jumped from \$12,900 to \$13,700; district judge salaries increased from \$8,300 to \$8,800; and probate judges got a pay hike from \$17,100 to \$18,100. The county pays a share of the judges' salaries with the state paying the rest. Little said the state has already approved a \$1,200 increase for circuit judges and \$1,080 for district judges, while a \$1,600 increase for probate judges has not yet passed both houses. If the probate increase should pass, new total salaries for each

judge would be, according to Little: circuit, \$40,200; district, \$32,650; and probate, \$34,448.

Other new salaries, all representing \$1,000 increases, are: County clerk, \$20,500; drain commissioner, \$15,000; prosecuting attorney, \$29,000; register of deeds, \$17,100; and sheriff, \$23,600. The treasurer's salary jumped by \$1,200 to \$18,400. Commissioners said salaries were raised because of "inflationary trends."

The board also presented a resolution to Florence Dase during a standing ovation honoring her for service to the county. Mrs. Dase retires today as probate register after some 37 years with the county, and was hailed as "the dean of county employees" by the board.

Computer Pinpoints High Crash Areas

By NICK SMITH
Staff Writer

Berrien county police officials and traffic engineers learned from a computer Thursday that the busy Napier-M-139 intersection in Benton township has more accidents than any other county intersection studied by a new computer program.

The computerization of accidents at intersections is a program organized by the Michigan State police. It's called the Michigan Accident Location Index system and is intended to pinpoint quickly intersections with high accident rates so safety measures can be taken.

The program was explained to 25 policemen and traffic of-

ficials at Benton Harbor Holiday Inn by Sgt. Miller J. Richter of the state police safety and traffic division.

Richter presented a limited computer picture of traffic accidents at or near intersections in Berrien county from January through April. He explained the computer is programmed to record accidents that occur only on or near trunk lines.

The computer showed that during the first four months of this year the intersection of Napier and M-139, Benton township, had the most accidents of any in Berrien county studied by the computer. The intersection was the site of 29 crashes.

Other major intersections, and the number of accidents that occurred at them, were:

Fifth and Main, Niles, 14; Eleventh and Silverbrook, Niles, 12; Main and Second, Niles, 12; Eleventh and Bertrand, Niles township, 11; Main and Riverview, Benton Harbor, 11; Oak and Seventeenth, Niles, 10; Niles and Main, Berrien Springs, 10.

Richter said that police can get almost any kind of traffic accident information from the computer that they wish. The service, which is federally funded, is free to any department in the state.

He took the same facts and asked the computer to rank the Berrien intersections in terms of the number of people hurt in personal injury accidents.

Leading the computer printout once again was the intersection of Napier and M-139, where 11 persons were hurt in eight crashes.

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Richter said that Michigan is the first state to use this accident-prevention program. It began in 1973 in Kalamazoo county.

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Ray Bronicki, safety and traffic technician for the Berrien county road commission, was named chairman of the council. It will help compile the additional information needed to get a complex index of county roads fed into the computer, according to Richter.



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Action Agency Gets Anti-Poverty Label

The Berrien county board of commissioners yesterday designated Berrien County Action, Inc., as the county's official anti-poverty agency with a warning that BCA show some progress.

The designation, at least for the present, ends a battle among commissioners and BCA which began last spring over whether the group would receive the county's backing.

Nancy Clark, chairman of the board's planning and social services committee, who recommended the approval, noted: "If there is no progress by March I'm going to ask the Human Resources Commission to start putting together

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The county's designation for BCA means the group can now receive federal funding directly, instead of through the state, as was the case in the past because BCA lacked the

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Mrs. Clark said she was hopeful that, because of the designation, BCA may be able to get more money for such programs as family planning, in addition to regular grant money.

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Estel E. (Bud) Reed, formerly of St. Joseph, has been appointed publisher of Consulting Engineer magazine, Barrington, Ill., it was announced by James A. Shipley, group publisher of Technical Publishing Co. Consulting Engineer was headquartered in St. Joseph until it was sold to Technical Publishing and moved to Technical's headquarters in Barrington in 1975.

Reed was in St. Joseph with the magazine three years as an associate editor and salesman. When Technical Publishing bought Consulting Engineer from R.W. Roe, Reed became sales manager.

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Jurors in Judge Julian E. Hughes' court returned the guilty verdict against Michael Gene Henderson, 22, of 2015 Hatch street, to end a three-day trial.

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Thursday at 4:20 p.m. Benton Harbor firemen were called to the home of Mrs. Margaret Bishop, 227 Parker avenue. They extinguished a fire that damaged a small wooden shed in Mrs. Bishop's back yard. Damage to the shed was estimated at \$750, while \$500 worth of contents were destroyed, she told firemen.

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Berrien Court Upheld

The Michigan Court of Appeals has upheld the 1975 fraud conviction of a former Benton Harbor man and his subsequent 2½ to 10-year prison sentence.

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The Blossomland Fraternal Order of Police (FOP) Lodge 100 will hold its annual fund-raising ball tomorrow from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Shadowland ballroom in St. Joseph. Music will be supplied by Country Western band "Charley Mott and the Jokers" featuring Reshonda Wells. Blossomland lodge is headquartered off M-139 in Sodus township on the St. Joseph river.

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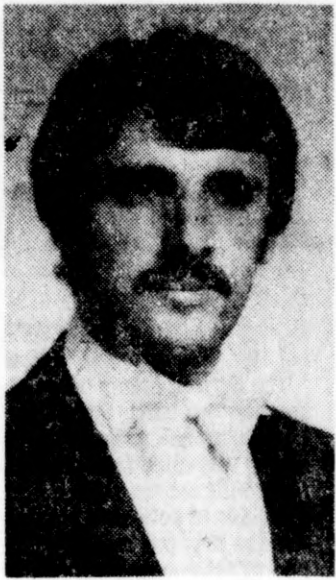
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Dear Ann: It takes two factions to keep a situation like yours going — a pack of leeches and a gutless wonder who will allow herself to be abused.

Anyone who permits a bunch of freeloaders to behave so outrageously week after week, year after year, must enjoy the role of clump.

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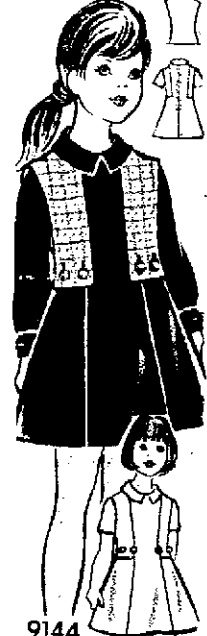
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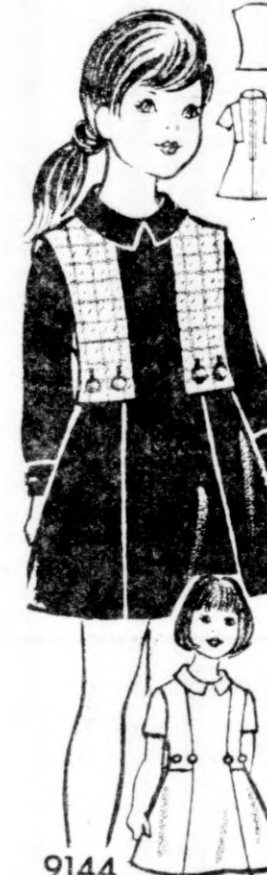
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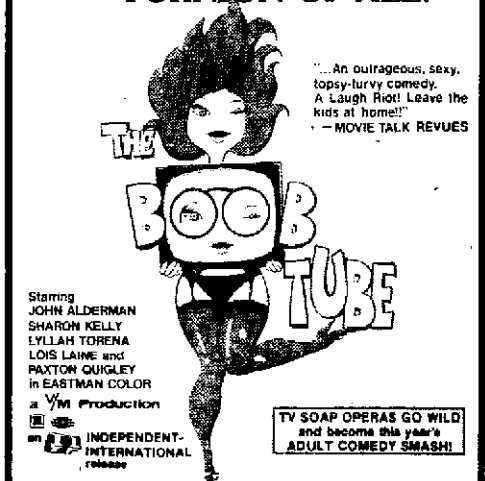
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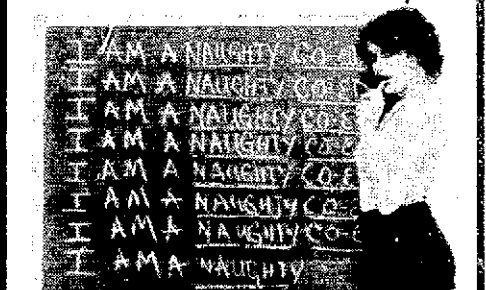


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authorities said.
The government rebuffed the Communist government's demand that the hijacker be returned immediately, and the Ilyushin 18 flew back to Prague before dawn today without him.
None of the other 104 passengers or six crew members sought asylum.

police said, and all were aboard the four-engine turbo-prop when it took off on from the Munich airport.
Police said the hijacker was named Rudolf Bevar and that he was 26. Sources in Prague said he was a railway worker.
The plane had loaded at Prague Thursday for a flight to eastern Czechoslovakia, and Bevar took control of it as soon as its engines were started, a source at the Prague airport reported.
He was armed with a Russian submachine gun and a Czech pistol. It was not disclosed how he slipped the weapons through the tight security checks at the Prague airport.
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Both research groups did the analysis on the committee's samples. The two Ann Arbor research associations have not compared their findings.

William Prater, president of Anatech, said he felt the data had been manipulated for a preconceived political end.

Dr. Richard Copeland, president of the Environment Research Group, said his firm's data doesn't justify the committee's finding, either.

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Kissinger and Britain say the plan was a basis for discussion, not an agreement to which the blacks were committed.

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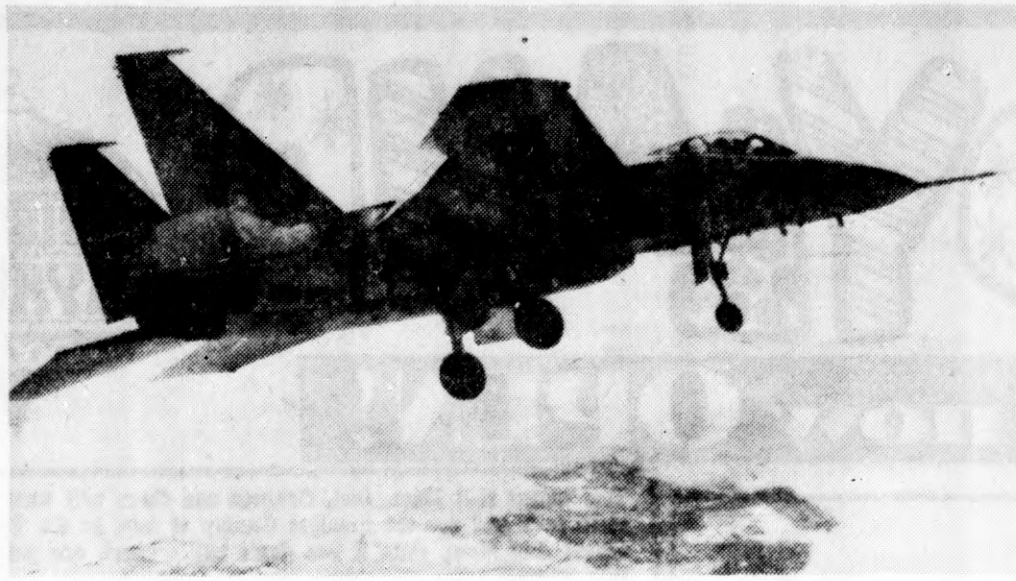
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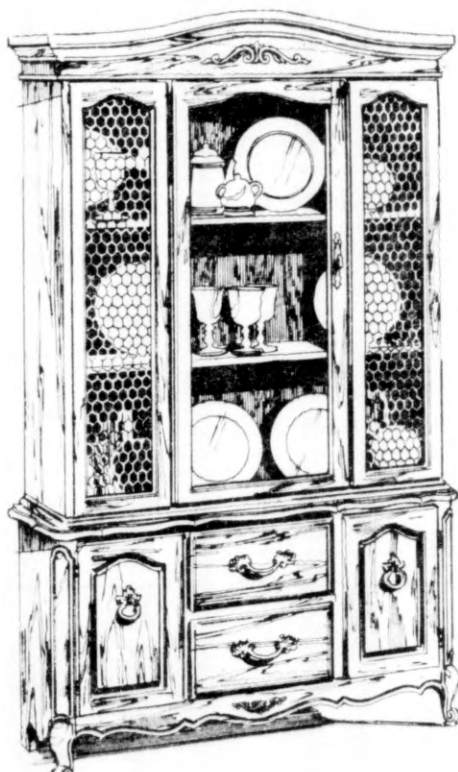


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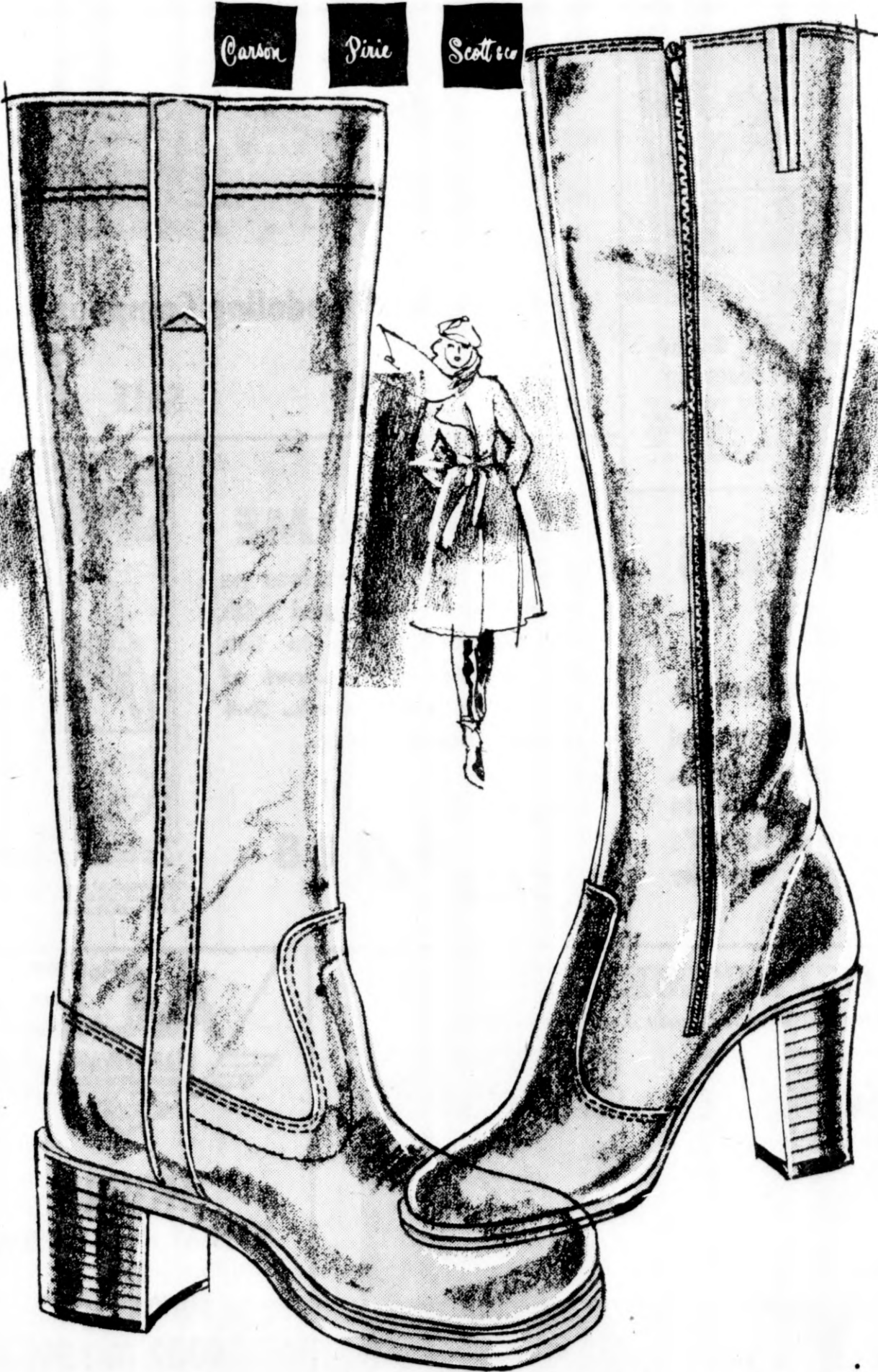


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The First Lady — obviously tired from months on the campaign trail — wound up two days of stumping through Michigan on her husband's behalf Thursday.

As she was leaving her hotel to fly to New Jersey, Mrs. Ford chatted and joked with reporters.

"Well, it would be great fun, there's no doubt about it," she said when asked about teaming up with Miss Lillian. "She's a character!"

The First Lady also noted that her husband has appointed several women to high government positions since succeeding Richard Nixon two years ago and said the trend likely would continue if he is elected to a four-year term Nov. 2.

"Any capable woman is just as apt to be appointed to a (high government) position as a man," Mrs. Ford said.

The latest polls show President Ford in danger of losing Michigan and his wife pleaded with Michigan voters not to embarrass him.

"Jerry needs your help," she told a crowd at a high school gym Wednesday night. "You know how important it is for him to carry his home state."

Mrs. Ford said she was confused by a disagreement between two of the nation's leading pollsters, Louis Harris and George Gallup.

The pollsters disagreed sharply in front of a National Press Club audience Wednesday night over how many persons might trek to the polls to cast their vote in the presidential election.

Gallup said interest in the election is rising and said he felt that would help the Republican, Ford. Harris predicted the turnout will be much lower than usual and supported the conventional wisdom that a low turnout hurts the Democratic candidate.

"The Gallup poll and the Harris poll, as I read it this morning, were at variance, as far as the number of voters that were going to turn out and so forth," Mrs. Ford said. "So, as far as the polls are concerned, I'm looking forward to the Nov. 2 poll."

In answer to another question, Mrs. Ford said she understands Vice President Nelson Rockefeller plans to remain in government, but said she didn't know if a cabinet post was in the offing.

"Vice President Rockefeller has said that he plans to remain active in politics," she said. "I think it is very generous of a man of his means to give up so much time, because it's very hard work and very long hours."

What has been the most difficult thing about campaigning for the First Lady?

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GOP Blitzing State For Ford

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Some of the state's top GOP leaders made last-minute swing through five Michigan cities Thursday trying to make sure President Ford doesn't suffer an embarrassing defeat in his home state.

Gov. William Milliken, Sen. Robert Griffin and state GOP

Chairman William McLaughlin said the jump was thrown together in the waning days of what they admit has become a neck-and-neck contest against Democrat Jimmy Carter.

The party chief said the point of the trip was to highlight the "importance of not taking Michigan for granted."

Milliken told Michiganders that in addition to all the other reasons for backing Ford, the fact that the president is from Michigan is "an important additional reason."

"It's a very, very close race by every measure we have," Milliken said in Lansing before the group continued on to airport stops in Flint, near Midland, Traverse City and Kalamazoo.

Griffin and Milliken, who have campaigned around the country for the president, said they're optimistic about Ford's chances not only in the big industrial states but in the deep South.

Griffin said that despite the former Georgia governor's home base, voters in the Carolinas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Florida are coming around to Ford because "they don't want to vote for a question mark."

Milliken said the most recent polls show Ford leading Carter by three per cent of the vote in his home state. Said Griffin, "Michigan is closer than we'd like to see it."

The GOP leaders voiced optimism, however, and speculated that independent candidate Eugene McCarthy will drain votes away from Carter in Michigan and elsewhere.

Griffin also said "I don't think the people are going to be fooled" by Democrats' demands this week for investigations into Ford's role in a Republican effort to block a Watergate investigation.

The senator dismissed the demands as "political posturing."

Yanks Like Multiplying Currency

GUADALAJARA, Mexico (AP) — Tourists from the United States and most of the 55,000 retired Americans living in Mexico find it hard to suppress gleeful grins as pesos multiply in their wallets.

Two devaluations in two months have made Mexico one of the world's great tourist bargains and doubled the number of pesos a retired American gets for his dollar pension check.

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Betty Ford And Miss Lillian A 'Great Ticket'

By HARRY ATKINS
Associated Press Writer

DEARBORN, Mich. (AP) — Betty Ford thinks that she and Jimmy Carter's mother would make a great ticket.

The First Lady — obviously tired from months on the campaign trail — wound up two days of stumping through Michigan on her husband's behalf Thursday.

As she was leaving her hotel to fly to New Jersey, Mrs. Ford chatted and joked with reporters.

"Well, it would be great fun, there's no doubt about it," she said when asked about teaming up with Miss Lillian. "She's a character!"

The First Lady also noted that her husband has appointed several women to high government positions since succeeding Richard Nixon two years ago and said the trend likely would continue if he is elected to a four-year term Nov. 2.

"Any capable woman is just as apt to be appointed to a (high government) position as a man," Mrs. Ford said.

The latest polls show President Ford in danger of losing Michigan and his wife pleaded with Michigan voters not to embarrass him.

"Jerry needs your help," she told a crowd at a high school gym Wednesday night. "You know how important it is for him to carry his home state."

Mrs. Ford said she was confused by a disagreement between two of the nation's leading pollsters, Louis Harris and George Gallup.

The pollsters disagreed sharply in front of a National Press Club audience Wednesday night over how many persons might trek to the polls to cast their vote in the presidential election.

Gallup said interest in the election is rising and said he felt that would help the Republican, Ford. Harris predicted the turnout will be much lower than usual and supported the conventional wisdom that a low turnout hurts the Democratic candidate.

"The Gallup poll and the Harris poll, as I read it this morning, were at variance, as far as the number of voters that were going to turn out and so forth," Mrs. Ford said. "So, as far as the polls are concerned, I'm looking forward to the Nov. 2 poll."

In answer to another question, Mrs. Ford said she understands Vice President Nelson Rockefeller plans to remain in government, but said she didn't know if a cabinet post was in the offing.

"Vice President Rockefeller has said that he plans to remain active in politics," she said. "I think it is very generous of a man of his means to give up so much time, because it's very hard work and very long hours."

What has been the most difficult thing about campaigning for the First Lady?

"Getting up in the morning!"



BETTY AND LILLIAN: First Lady Betty Ford, left, said while campaigning in Michigan Thursday she thinks she and Jimmy Carter's mother, Mrs. Lillian Carter, right, would make a great team. (AP Wirephoto)

GOP Blitzing State For Ford

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Some of the state's top GOP leaders made last-minute swing through five Michigan cities Thursday trying to make sure President Ford doesn't suffer an embarrassing defeat in his home state.

Gov. William Milliken, Sen. Robert Griffin and state GOP

Yanks Like Multiplying Currency

GUADALAJARA, Mexico (AP) — Tourists from the United States and most of the 55,000 retired Americans living in Mexico find it hard to suppress gleeful grins as pesos multiply in their wallets.

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Chairman William McLaughlin said the jaunt was thrown together in the waning days of what they admit has become a neck-and-neck contest against Democrat Jimmy Carter.

The party chief said the point of the trip was to highlight the "importance of not taking Michigan for granted."

Milliken told Michiganders that in addition to all the other reasons for backing Ford, the fact that the president is from Michigan is "an important additional reason."

"It's a very, very close race by every measure we have," Milliken said in Lansing before the group continued on to airport stops in Flint, near Midland, Traverse City and Kalamazoo.

Griffin and Milliken, who have campaigned around the country for the president, said they're optimistic about Ford's chances not only in the big industrial states but in the deep South.

Griffin said that despite the former Georgia governor's home base, voters in the Carolinas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Florida are coming around to Ford because "they don't want to vote for a question mark."

Milliken said the most recent polls show Ford leading Carter by three per cent of the vote in his home state. Said Griffin, "Michigan is closer than we'd like to see it."

The GOP leaders voiced optimism, however, and speculated that independent candidate Eugene McCarthy will drain votes away from Carter in Michigan and elsewhere.

Griffin also said "I don't think the people are going to be fooled" by Democrats' demands this week for investigations into Ford's role in a Republican effort to block a Watergate investigation.

The senator dismissed the demands as "political posturing."

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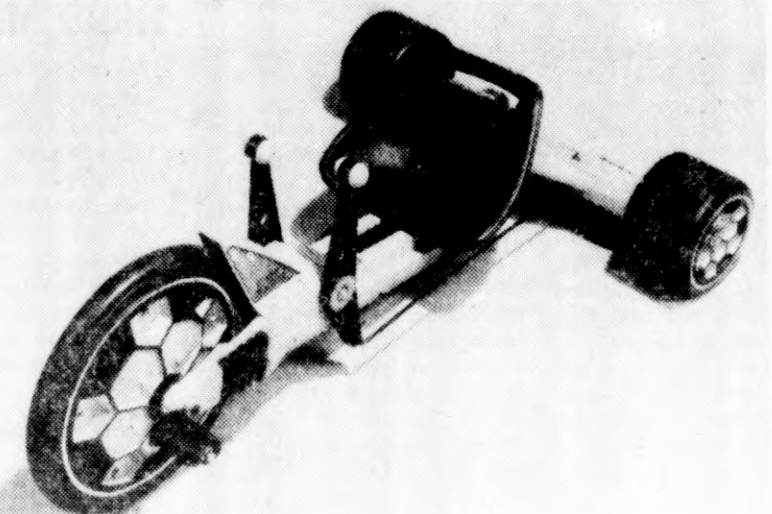


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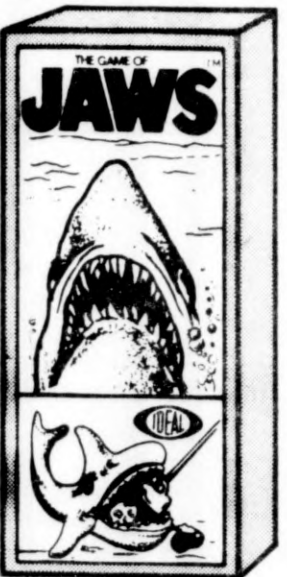
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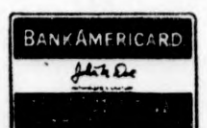
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—The argument of inconvenience and lack of choice used by opponents don't stand up. Stores handled bottle returns for years with minimal inconvenience and could do so again, and consumers now often have little choice, with returnables rare, especially in beer.

Skinner said the federal government will closely watch the ballot issues in Michigan, Massachusetts, Colorado and Maine next week as a test of public sentiment. The proposal has been defeated all eight times it has been put to the public before, and Congress has defeated a proposed national law.

"The entire nation and Congress will be looking at Michigan," he said. "It's of very important consequence — it's the first test in an urbanized, industrialized state."



Nationwide Study Shows Returnables Are Cheaper

By JIM LUTHER
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — A soft drink in a refillable bottle costs an average of five cents less than in a throwaway bottle or can. Beer in returnable containers costs as much as \$2 a case less than a case of throwaways.

Those are the key findings of a 28-city survey conducted by the League of Women Voters and announced today by the Environmental Protection Agency.

The study provides further ammunition for groups seeking to ban throwaway bottles and cans to save energy and protect the environment. In some states and localities, voters will decide whether to adopt laws or constitutional amendments designed to discourage throwaway containers either through outright bans or economic incentives.

In Michigan, Proposal A on the ballot Tuesday would ban the sale of throwaway beverage containers in the state. The national issue is expected to be hotly contested in Congress next year.

The League of Women Voters found that a six-pack of soft drinks in 7- to 16-ounce refillable bottles costs about 30 cents less than the same size of throwaway containers. The biggest saving potential is for users of 32-ounce soft drinks: refillables cost an average of 18.8 cents less than throwaways.

Of 37 direct comparisons, all but one found refillable bottles were cheaper. The 37th, at a market in San Francisco, had a 28-ounce refillable bottle of ginger ale at the same price as a disposable.

Nationwide, the savings per refillable ranged from 1 to 10 cents per container of up to 16 ounces when purchased in six or eight-packs. The range on quart bottles was from 14 to 18 cents.

The survey showed a beer buyer could expect to spend from 30 cents to \$2 a case less for beer purchased in refillable containers. The saving for premium beer would be slightly less.

However, the League found that beer in refillables is available in only a few areas. An in-depth survey of the metropolitan Washington area found refillable beer bottles available at 37.5 per cent of stores in the city, 38.4 per cent in suburban Virginia and 20.6 per cent of outlets in suburban Maryland.

By contrast, the survey found refillable bottles of soft drinks generally available across the United States, although in some areas there is a limit on sizes and flavors.

Bottle Ban Eliminates Yosemite's Litter Woes

YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK, Calif. (AP) — Stopping the sale of "no deposit-no return" beverage containers in Yosemite National Park has been charging a five-cent refundable deposit on bottles and cans for six months.

The program was launched last May, in anticipation of the Environmental Protection Agency's recent ruling that all national parks, recreation areas, defense bases and other federal properties must establish similar rules for disposing of beverage containers by September 1977.

The major purpose of the rules is to reduce litter. But the EPA announced today that a 28-city survey conducted by the League of Women voters also showed that a soft drink in a refillable bottle costs an average of five cents less than in a throwaway bottle or can and that a case of beer in returnable containers is about \$2 less than a case of throwaways.

"It's one of the few programs that we haven't had any negative comments about," said John Birchhill, the ranger who heads the monitoring of Yosemite concessionaires. "Despite the inconvenience of having to stop and return cans and bottles, people are doing it — and giving us compliments."

Birchhill said there are no statistics on how much litter has been reduced. But the company's chief operating officer, Ed Hardy, said that at last count, 74 per cent of all beverage containers sold are being returned.

Birchhill said visitors are reluctant to discard containers worth five cents. Even when they do, he said, the litter doesn't last long.

"Soon they're picked up by other visitors. Most people who see three or four cans lying around won't let a 15- or 20-cent opportunity go by," he said.

To prevent fraud, each can or bottle sold in the park is stamped, and only stamped containers can be returned for a deposit.

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—The argument of inconvenience and lack of choice used by opponents don't stand up. Stores handled bottle returns for years with minimal inconvenience and could do so again, and consumers now often have little choice, with returnables rare, especially in beer.

Skinner said the federal government will closely watch the ballot issues in Michigan, Massachusetts, Colorado and Maine next week as a test of public sentiment. The proposal has been defeated all eight times it has been put to the public before, and Congress has defeated a proposed national law.

"The entire nation and Congress will be looking at Michigan," he said. "It's of very important consequence — it's the first test in an urbanized, industrialized state."

Nationwide Study Shows Returnables Are Cheaper

By JIM LUTHER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A soft drink in a refillable bottle costs an average of five cents less than in a throwaway bottle or can. Beer in returnable containers costs as much as \$2 a case less than a case of throwaways.

Those are the key findings of a 28-city survey conducted by the League of Women Voters and announced today by the Environmental Protection Agency.

The study provides further ammunition for groups seeking to ban throwaway bottles and cans to save energy and protect the environment. In some states and localities, voters will decide whether to adopt laws or constitutional amendments designed to discourage throwaway containers either through outright bans or economic incentives.

In Michigan, Proposal A on the ballot Tuesday would ban the sale of throwaway beverage containers in the state. The national issue is expected to be hotly contested in Congress next year.

The League of Women Voters found that a six-pack of soft drinks in 7- to 16-ounce refillable bottles costs about 30 cents less than the same size of throwaway containers. The biggest saving potential is for users of 32-ounce soft drinks: refillables cost an average of 16.8 cents less than throwaways.

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but one found refillable bottles were cheaper. The 37th, at a market in San Francisco, had a 28-ounce refillable bottle of ginger ale at the same price as a disposable.

Nationwide, the savings per refillable ranged from 1 to 10 cents per container of up to 16 ounces when purchased in six-pack eight-packs. The range on quart bottles was from 14 to 18 cents.

The survey showed a beer buyer could expect to spend from 30 cents to \$2 a case less for beer purchased in refillable containers. The saving for

premium beer would be slightly less.

However, the League found that beer in refillables is available in only a few areas. An in-depth survey of the metropolitan Washington area found refillable beer bottles available at 37.5 per cent of stores in the city, 38.4 per cent in suburban Virginia and 20.6 per cent of outlets in suburban Maryland.

By contrast, the survey found refillable bottles of soft drinks generally available across the United States, although in some areas there is a limit on sizes and flavors.

Bottle Ban Eliminates Yosemite's Litter Woes

YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK, Calif. (AP) — Stopping the sale of "no deposit-no return" beverage containers in Yosemite National Park has "just about eliminated the litter problem," a ranger says.

The Yosemite Park and Curry Co., the park's major concessionaire with 18 retail outlets, has been charging a five-cent refundable deposit on bottles and cans for six months.

The program was launched last May, in anticipation of the Environmental Protection Agency's recent ruling that all national parks, recreation areas, defense bases and other federal properties must establish similar rules for disposing of beverage containers by September 1977.

The major purpose of the rules is to reduce litter. But the EPA announced today that a

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"It's one of the few programs that we haven't had any negative comments about," said John Birchhill, the ranger who heads the monitoring of Yosemite concessionaires. "Despite the inconvenience of having to stop and return cans and bottles, people are doing it — and giving us compliments."

Birchhill said there are no statistics on how much litter has been reduced. But the company's chief operating officer, Ed Hardy, said that at last count, 74 per cent of all beverage containers sold are

being returned.

Birchhill said visitors are reluctant to discard containers worth five cents. Even when they do, he said, the litter doesn't last long.

"Soon they're picked up by other visitors. Most people who see three or four cans lying around won't let a 15- or 20-cent opportunity go by," he said.

To prevent fraud, each can or bottle sold in the park is stamped, and only stamped containers can be returned for a deposit.

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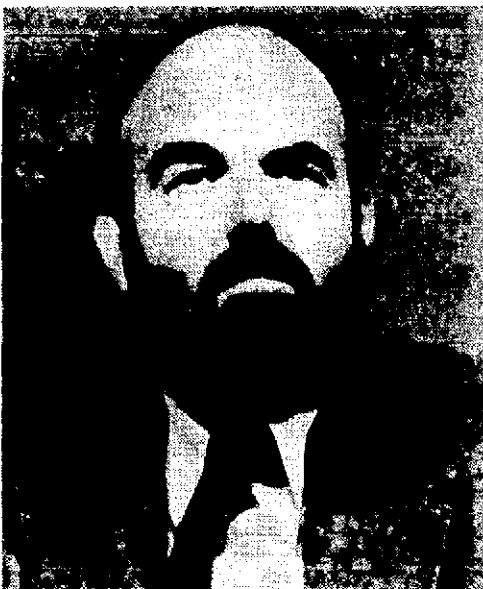
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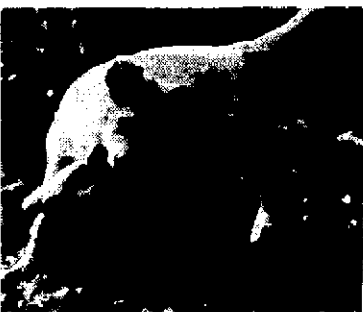
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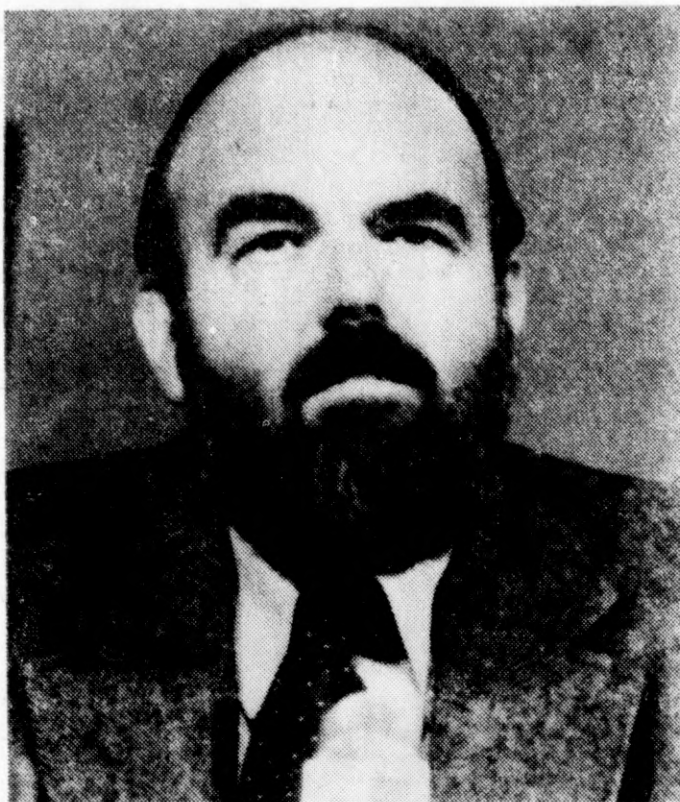
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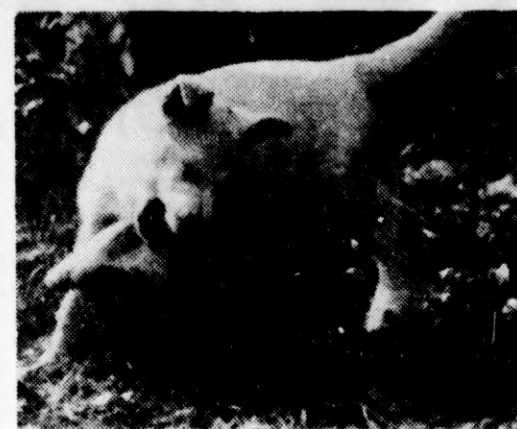
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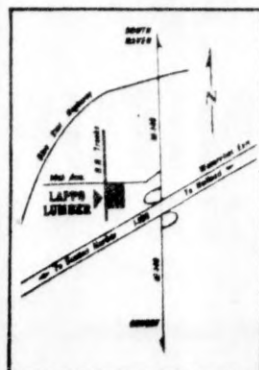
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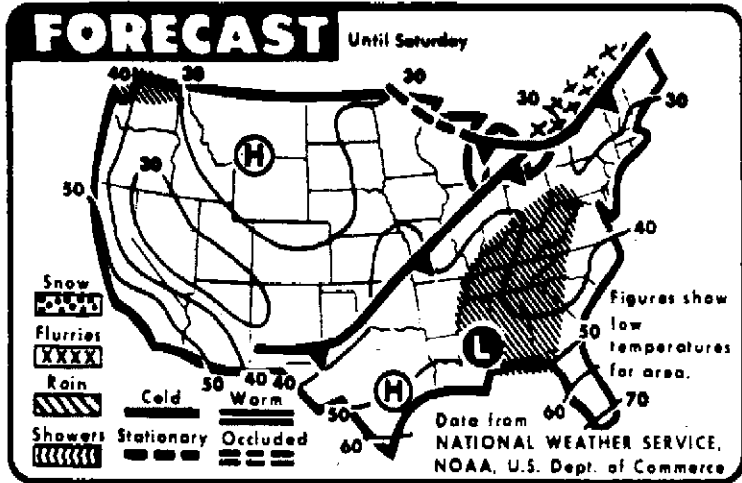
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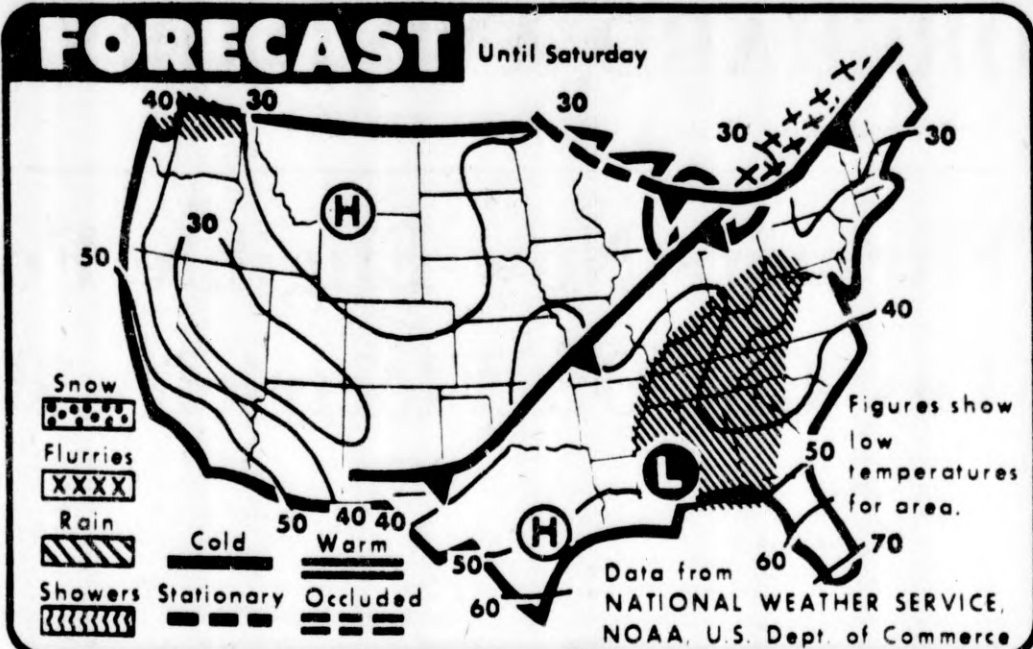
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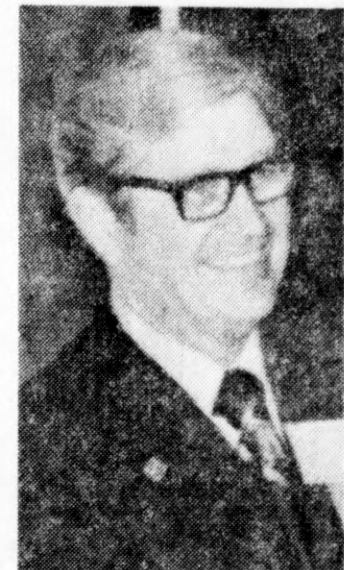
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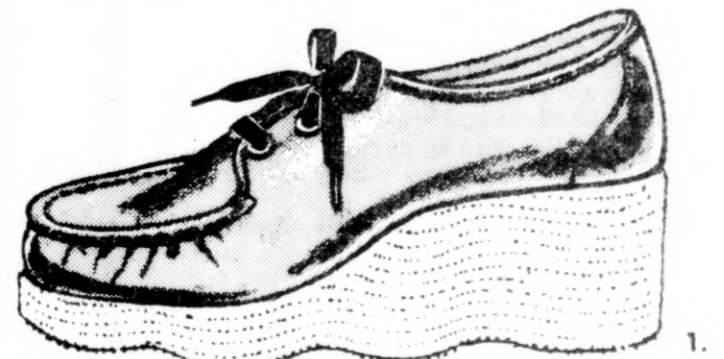
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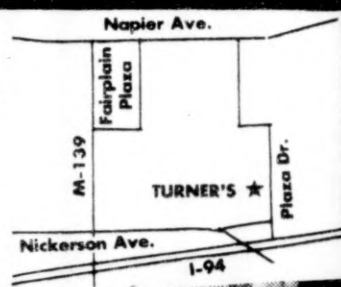


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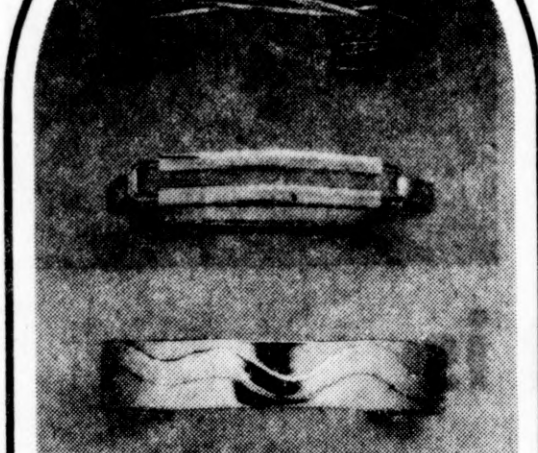
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He says one of the heavy damage areas he has seen is in north central Kalkaska county. "I saw some fields in which damage to corn and hay reached 60 per cent or better. Deer are so numerous on several farms that they have trampled paths across fields. Damage to some farmers is running into the thousands of dollars," Dudderar says.

Part of the problem is the extremely dry conditions in the woodlands that have encouraged deer to forage in croplands. But mostly, "it is just plain too large a herd in the area," according to Bob Poppy, Kalkaska county extension director.

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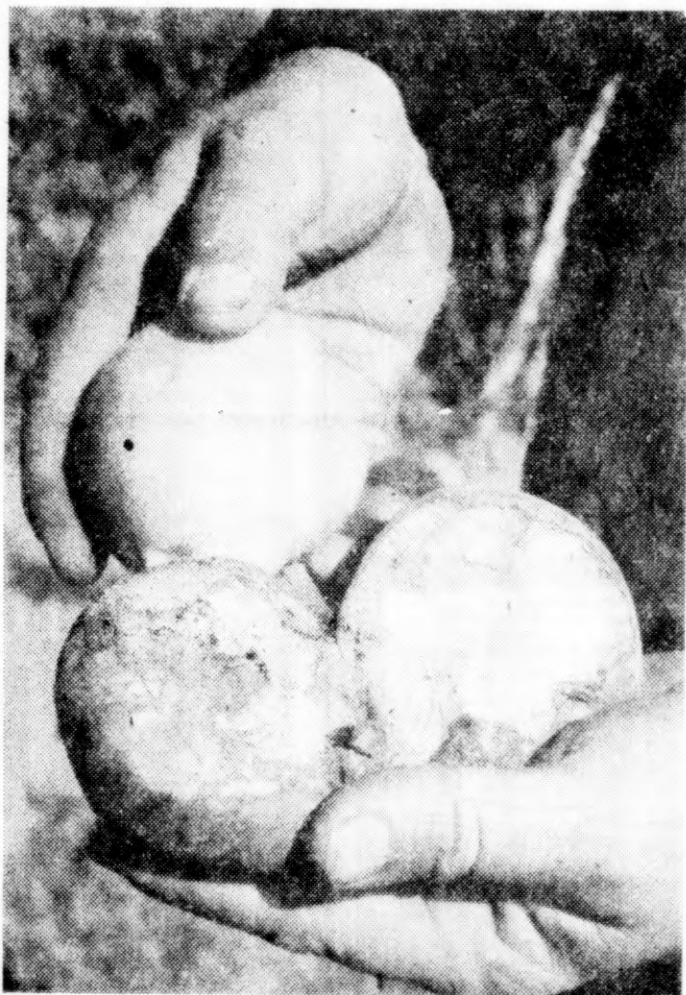
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Some favorable effects of the measure do appear certain: its adoption will represent a significant step toward sound management of our natural resources (before our wasteful ways bring us to a point of crisis), and it will help reduce the amount of litter throughout our state. Either of these factors alone provides a reasonable basis for supporting Proposal A, and together they weigh very heavily in favor of its adoption.

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Groups who oppose Proposal A have recently been sponsoring large ads in the papers which set forth statements taken from a study of the possible impact of federal container legislation (see page 21 of the October 23 Herald-Palladium). We should recognize that such statements reflect the possible impact of federal legislation, and that they are not necessarily accurate indicators of the impact of state legislation — such as Proposal A — in Michigan.

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Grand Mere Association, I urge the voters to vote YES on Proposal A.

Edward A. Ketterer
President
Grand Mere Association

READER APPALLED AT BOTTLE ARTICLE

Editor,
This letter is directed to Mr. Russell McKee, writer for Michigan Natural Resources Magazine.

Dear Mr. McKee:
Today I received my Nov.-Dec. 1976 issue of "Michigan Natural Resources Magazine," and was virtually appalled at your article, "Who Pays For Throwaways."

Mr. McKee, I am an avid conservationist, but you have given me another reason to vote "no" on Proposal A. Nov. 2nd.
Mr. McKee, if you will examine page 8 of your M.N.R.M. article, you will notice a bare ankle and foot on a bicycle beside an empty, broken and jagged returnable, Stroh's beer bottle.

Mr. McKee, you advocate the passing of Proposal A, but on an issue as important as this one, it seems you'd have done at least a little more research.

Readers, be your own judge! Mr. McKee, whom are you trying to kid?

Audy A. Layman
P.O. Box 301
Eau Claire.

'COMMON SENSE' FOR PROPOSAL A

Editor,
One must conclude that after listening to all of the rhetoric by those against Proposal A, lessons in "common sense" are in order, especially for those uninformed individuals in the beverage and container industries.

Common sense tells us that the population of the earth is increasing at an astounding rate, a problem in itself that has been placed on the back shelf far too long. Each additional person becomes competitive and creates a demand on the earth's supply of natural resources, a supply that to some seems infinite when in reality is finite. This increase in population and a greater demand for goods has necessitated the procedures of recycling, an attitude and behavior that is morally right and one that should have been a part of man's behavior since he could think and comprehend.

Individuals of the beverage and container industries must get their priorities in order and add the terms "recycle" and "reuse" to their vocabulary. After all, isn't there a responsibility attached to the privilege of using raw materials from the earth's warehouse, an activity which gives these industries a

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I have also read and heard many people speak out against government regulation. Do you, the public, truly understand the powers of the professional lobbyist? These people, representing the beverage and container industries, are heading a campaign to defeat Proposal A, spending well over one million dollars. They will come into an area and try to confuse the voter, because a confused voter is a no vote. Can you comprehend the fact that the lobbyist, a small minority with a large sum of money and therefore power, dictate the laws and rules that govern our daily lives? The threat of this form of dictatorship scares me far more than any other form of regulation that I have heard in this campaign.

Let's make sure that our priorities are in order and that we do what is right. Vote Yes on Proposal A.

Harry C. Little
R.R. 7
Dowagiac, Mi 49047

OPPOSES VAN BUREN LANDFILL PROPOSAL

Editor,
On November 2 there will appear on your ballot County Proposal D which is a two-part proposition concerning the County Landfill in Van Buren County.

Part One is a bonding proposition which provides for the construction of a County Landfill.

Part Two is a millage proposition which provides for operation of such a landfill for

the next 20 years.

If these propositions pass, the cost to the taxpayers of various townships will be tremendous. Alcona Township residents, for instance, will be paying about \$15,000 additional taxes. Antwerp township, about \$40,000 additional taxes. Covert township, about \$50,000 additional taxes. Hartford township, about \$18,000 additional taxes, and South Haven city, about \$43,000 additional taxes.

No longer will landfills be controlled by the local unit of government nor will local units of government have any voice as to what may be taken to the landfill or where the landfills will be located.

Pick up, or refuse, of course, would be an additional cost to the owner.

Various well-meaning persons have stated that we must have a place to put solid waste, and in some cases they are correct in that some areas do not have adequate place to dispose of their solid waste. Other areas have adequate places for disposal of solid waste, and the average cost is approximately one-sixth of the proposed cost. Apparently, a county landfill operation has not taken into account ecologically sound features of recycling and/or converting waste to energy supply. The concept of a county landfill has been forced upon Van Buren county and local governmental units by the Department of Natural Resources, but like many other things that State agencies promote, the solution appears to be one that will create more problems and more expenses for the taxpayer and is generally short-sighted.

I urge you to vote "no" on both sections of Proposal D, as most township officials oppose this proposition.

Edgar C. Austin
Chairman,
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WOMEN VOTERS OPPOSING 'C'

Editor,

The Niles-Buchanan League of Women Voters are concerned over the effects which passage of Proposal C may have in our communities. Passage of this proposal would limit state spending to 8.3% of the personal income of Michigan for the previous year. The League believes the legislature should

have broad and fundamental taxing powers in order to respond to the needs of the citizens of Michigan.

One of our greatest needs is quality education. For the past three years the fiscal state of Michigan has been unable to meet its budget commitments to education. If Proposal C passes, meeting these commitments will be strained even further and the burden of funding education will fall on the local community. If local revenues do not generate enough funds to maintain our education programs, the only alternative is reduction of vital educational services. The reductions are already taking place throughout Michigan as evidenced by half-day sessions, reduced curriculum, increased class size and the layoff of school employees. We have seen some of these reductions in our local schools and we must not allow them to increase.

In considering other sources of local revenue if the proposal passes, the taxpayer should be aware that there are two ways in which taxes could be raised: 1. The people may vote in favor of raising an existing tax or creating a new tax... 2. The state constitution provides methods of upending the base on which property taxes are levied. Either of the above ways for making up lost revenue increases the burden on the local property owner.

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State Proposals Spark Comment

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jobs and the cost of beverage containers. It is probably correct to state that there is simply no way we can be certain before the election (if at all) what the total impact of Proposal A will be. However, we should not vote against the measure merely because there are some uncertainties or because some inconvenience may result.

Some favorable effects of the measure do appear certain: its adoption will represent a significant step toward sound management of our natural resources (before our wasteful ways bring us to a point of crisis), and it will help reduce the amount of litter throughout our state. Either of these factors alone provides a reasonable basis for supporting Proposal A, and together they weigh very heavily in favor of its adoption.

Some sacrifices will indeed have to be made in the coming years as we move toward better management of our natural resources and energy. The only sacrifice which appears certain under Proposal A is the slight inconvenience created by the use of returnable beverage containers. Other concerns, such as increased costs and loss of jobs, are either uncertain or only temporary. We can look to the success of a similar measure passed in Oregon, as outlined by Oregon's Governor McCall during a recent visit to Michigan, as a further indication of the merit of Proposal A.

Groups who oppose Proposal A have recently been sponsoring large ads in the papers which set forth statements taken from a study of the possible impact of federal container legislation (see page 21 of the October 23 Herald-Palladium). We should recognize that such statements reflect the possible impact of federal legislation, and that they are not necessarily accurate indicators of the impact of state legislation — such as Proposal A — in Michigan.

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Grand Mere Association, I urge the voters to vote YES on Proposal A.

Edward A. Ketterer
President
Grand Mere Association

READER APPALLED AT BOTTLER ARTICLE

Editor,
This letter is directed to Mr. Russell McKee, writer for Michigan Natural Resources Magazine.

Dear Mr. McKee:
Today I received my Nov.-Dec. 1976 issue of "Michigan Natural Resources Magazine," and was virtually appalled at your article, "Who Pays For Throwaways!"

Mr. McKee, I am an avid conservationist, but you have given me another reason to vote "no" on Proposal A, Nov. 2nd.
Mr. McKee, if you will examine page 8 of your M.N.R.M. article, you will notice a bare ankle and foot on a bicycle beside an empty, broken and jagged returnable, Stroh's beer bottle.

Mr. McKee, you advocate the passing of Proposal A, but on an issue as important as this one, it seems you'd have done at least a little more research.

Readers, be your own judge! Mr. McKee, whom are you trying to kid?

Andy A. Layman
P.O. Box 301
Eau Claire.

'COMMON SENSE' FOR PROPOSAL A

Editor,
One must conclude that after listening to all of the rhetoric by those against Proposal A, lessons in "common sense" are in order, especially for those misinformed individuals in the beverage and container industries.

Common sense tells us that the population of the earth is increasing at an astounding rate, a problem in itself that has been placed on the back shelf for too long. Each additional person becomes competitive and creates a demand on the earth's supply of natural resources, a supply that to some seems infinite when in reality is finite. This increase in population and a greater demand for goods has necessitated the procedures of recycling, an attitude and behavior that is morally right and one that should have been a part of man's behavior since he could think and comprehend.

Individuals of the beverage and container industries must get their priorities in order and add the terms "recycle" and "reuse" to their vocabulary. After all, isn't there a responsibility attached to the privilege of using raw materials from the earth's warehouse, an activity which gives these industries a

profit? They are taking but giving nothing in return. Has it become morally right to use a bottle or can just once and then bury it forever in our dumps or landfills? I think not, especially when these industries have had many chances to establish a plan of their own that would be workable but haven't done so. Now they oppose a plan that is definitely workable, throwing excuses to the public as to why it shouldn't be. Are these people only takers and profit seekers rather than partners in a common conservation effort that is morally right? Industry would not agree, but they even have a responsibility for their containers after they are in the hands of the consumer. However, it will take the passage of Proposal A to enlighten them to their shortcomings.

I have also read and heard many people speak out against government regulation. Do you, the public, truly understand the powers of the professional lobbyist? These people, representing the beverage and container industries, are heading a campaign to defeat Proposal A, spending well over one million dollars. They will come into an area and try to confuse the voter, because a confused voter is a no vote. Can you comprehend the fact that the lobbyist, a small minority with a large sum of money and therefore power, dictate the laws and rules that govern our daily lives? The threat of this form of dictatorship scares me far more than any other form of regulation that I have heard in this campaign.

Let's make sure that our priorities are in order and that we do what is right. Vote Yes on Proposal A.

Harry C. Little
R.R. 7
Dowagiac, MI 49047

OPPOSES VAN BUREN LANDFILL PROPOSAL

Editor,
On November 2 there will appear on your ballot County Proposal D which is a two-part proposition concerning the County Landfill in Van Buren county.

Part One is a bonding proposition which provides for the construction of a County Landfill.

Part Two is a millage proposition which provides for operation of such a landfill for

the next 20 years.

If these propositions pass, the cost to the taxpayers of various townships will be tremendous. Almena Township residents, for instance, will be paying about \$15,000 additional taxes. Antwerp township, about \$40,000 additional taxes. Covert township, about \$50,000 additional taxes. Hartford township, about \$18,000 additional taxes, and South Haven city, about \$43,000 additional taxes.

No longer will landfills be controlled by the local unit of government nor will local units of government have any voice as to what may be taken to the landfill or where the landfills will be located.

Pick up, of course, would be an additional cost to the owner.

Various well-meaning persons have stated that we must have a place to put solid waste, and in some cases they are correct in that some areas do not have adequate place to dispose of their solid waste. Other areas have adequate places for disposal of solid waste, and the average cost is approximately one-sixth of the proposed cost. Apparently, a county landfill operation has not taken into account ecologically sound features of recycling and/or converting waste to energy supply. The concept of a county landfill has been forced upon Van Buren county and local governmental units by the Department of Natural Resources, but like many other things that State agencies promote, the solution appears to be one that will create more problems and more expenses for the taxpayer and is generally short-sighted.

I urge you to vote "no" on both sections of Proposal D, as most township officials oppose this proposition.

Edgar C. Austin
Chairman,
Citizens Committee
Mattawan

WOMEN VOTERS OPPOSING 'C'

Editor,

The Niles-Buchanan League of Women Voters are concerned over the effects which passage of Proposal C may have in our communities. Passage of this proposal would limit state spending to 8.3% of the personal income of Michigan for the previous year. The League believes the legislature should

have broad and fundamental taxing powers in order to respond to the needs of the citizens of Michigan.

One of our greatest needs is quality education. For the past three years the fiscal state of Michigan has been unable to meet its budget commitments to education. If Proposal C passes, meeting these commitments will be strained even further and the burden of funding education will fall on the local community. If local revenues do not generate enough funds to maintain our education programs, the only alternative is reduction of vital educational services. The reductions are already taking place throughout Michigan as evidenced by half-day sessions, reduced curriculum, increased class size and the layoff of school employees. We have seen some of these reductions in our local schools and we must not allow them to increase.

In considering other sources of local revenue if the proposal passes, the taxpayer should be aware that there are two ways in which taxes could be raised: 1. The people may vote in favor of raising an existing tax or creating a new tax. 2. The state constitution provides methods of widening the base on which property taxes are levied. Either of the above ways for making up lost revenue increases the burden on the local property owner.

It is highly probable that if Proposal C passes, the state will be required to eliminate or severely cut back present state general revenue sharing funds to counties, cities, and townships. Numerous reductions in programs now provided for aged citizens will also occur. For these and many more reasons, vote NO on Proposal C.

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The special gifts division of the 1976 Blossomland United Way campaign, led by Mrs. Jeanne Dwan, was the first unit to report an over-the-goal success Thursday at a special meeting of the BUW cabinet, according to Dr. Walter Browe, general chairman. Browe said the division has reached 100.3

per cent of its goal, while the general campaign now stands at 87 per cent of the targeted \$775,000, with \$673,885 reported. Browe told the division leaders to re-double their efforts to obtain reports on outstanding employee campaigns. The campaign victory dinner is scheduled next Thursday, in the DANK Hall. Tickets are \$3.

Several individual employee campaigns have reported significant increases in support for United Way services. Hughes Plastics, Inc., employees boomed ahead of last year with a 127 per cent gain; Sanitary Cleaners workers jumped 80 per cent over 1975 giving; Shepherd Products U.S. Inc. employees raised their giving by 33 per cent, followed closely by Peoples State Bank staff who reported a 29 per cent increase.

Other strong increases were registered at American Society of Agricultural Engineers where an 18 per cent increase produced an average of \$38.19 per employee; St. Joseph Public Schools where an increase of 10 per cent was registered; Vail Rubber Works, Inc., posting a 9.5 per cent boost; and Inter-City Bank with a 6 per cent gain.

Henderson Accuses Mittan

Charles F. Henderson, Democratic candidate for 44th District state legislator, charged today that Republican incumbent Ray Mittan voted against a bill that could be beneficial to Benton Harbor.

Henderson said the bill was on down town development authorities which could mean a lot to Benton Harbor.

"My opponent... has made it known that he spends 70 per cent of his time in Lansing on problems relating to Benton Harbor. Yet with all this time and energy he spends on the city's behalf, what do residents get for it?" Henderson said.

Mittan, of Niles, responded to the charges saying Henderson "doesn't know anything about the legislative process."

Mittan said Michigan cities can currently establish down town development authorities and said the bill he voted against would have allocated funds for the authorities. "The bill would have provided an overwhelming amount of money for the City of Detroit, and I don't think my constituents want me to throw all their tax money there."

Hagar Dystrophy March

Wayne Prescott, Hagar township fire-chief, said the department will hold its March for Muscular Dystrophy today, Saturday and Sunday from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. each evening. Firemen will be going house-to-house.

Carter By The Hair

NEW YORK (AP) — The political experts say the presidential race is too close to call. But a New York wigmaker who's studied the record says he thinks Jimmy Carter will win because he's got more hair than President Ford. More hair? Yes, according to Ben Z. Kaplan, who makes hairpieces for men. Kaplan notes that Dwight D. Eisenhower has been the only completely bald president in the 20th century. And he notes that Eisenhower's opponent, Aulian E. Stevenson, was pretty bald himself, leaving hair-lovers little to choose from. The whole idea is scoffed at by one of the nation's best-known baldies, actor Telly Savalas, star of the "Kojak" television series. Savalas — who isn't actually bald, but shaves his head — said, "If Jimmy Carter's going to win because he has a lot of hair, we're in the American people." Whoever is chosen, Savalas said, should be picked on the basis of ability — not hair. The actor himself isn't supporting anyone in the presidential campaign. Not yet, at least. "I'll support him Tuesday morning when I go into the voting booth," said Savalas.

While he refused to take Kaplan's suggestions seriously, Savalas did spring to the defense of bald men by naming some hairless heroes from his native Greece: "Aristotle was bald. Plato was bald. Socrates was bald." Kaplan admits his studies aren't scientific. But he notes that there have been 12 elected presidents. Nine of them, he says, were hairier than their opponents. He counts the Eisenhower-Stevenson race as a tossup and says only Franklin D. Roosevelt and Harry Truman bucked the trend.

OBITUARIES

Bertrand Constable Dies At 70



WILMER BAKER

BUCHANAN — Wilmer E. Baker, 70, of 2925 Mayflower road, Niles, a constable and building inspector in Berrien township, died at 6 a.m. today in St. Joseph hospital, South Bend, Ind., following an illness of three months.

He was born Sept. 23, 1906, in Girard, Ill., and had resided in the area since 1933, coming from Goshen, Ind. Mr. Baker was a retired electrician and retired chief of the Berrien township fire department.

Surviving are his widow, the former Dorothea Eisele; two sons, Gene and Glenn and a daughter, Mrs. Dean (Catherine) Curtis, all of Niles.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Monday in the Portage-Prairie United Methodist church. Burial will be in Portage-Prairie cemetery. Friends may call at the Swann-Smith funeral home, Buchanan, after 7 p.m. Saturday.

Memorials may be made to the church building fund.

Clarence Green

LAWRENCE — Clarence Green, 72, Route 2, Lawrence, died Thursday afternoon in Borgess hospital, Kalamazoo.

He was born June 4, 1904, in Alabama and was retired from Du-Well Manufacturing Company.

Surviving is a sister, Mrs. Lula Upshaw, Phenix City, Ala. His wife Verona preceded him in death.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete this forenoon at the Sisson funeral home, Lawrence.

Mrs. Quakenbush

BANGOR — Mrs. Margaret M. Quakenbush, 91, formerly of Bangor, died Thursday morning in National City, Calif.

She was born May 25, 1885, in Breedsville and moved to Chula Vista, Calif., in 1967, to make her home with her son, Max E. Spriggs. Mrs. Quakenbush was a member of Breedsville Rebekah lodge.

Surviving besides her son is a sister, Mrs. Florence Schenauer, Bangor.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Bangor Church of Christ. Burial will be in Breedsville cemetery.

Friends may call at Stafford-Robbins funeral home, Bangor, after 3 p.m. Saturday.

Mrs. Martha Ivy

Mrs. Martha Elizabeth Ivy, 87, formerly of 748 Columbus, Benton Harbor, died at 6 p.m. Thursday in Berrien General hospital, Berrien Center.

She was born Feb. 8, 1889, in Chocoma, Miss., and had resided in the area 20 years. Her husband, Merritt Ivy, preceded her in death on Oct. 14, 1968.

She was an associate member of Jehovah's Witnesses, Kingdom Hall.

Surviving are a son Charles, Benton Harbor; three daughters, Mrs. Fred (Lillie) Hess, Benton Harbor, Mrs. Willie (Gertrude) Heathcock, Baroda and Mrs. Arthur (Dorothy) Harvill, Kenosha, Wis.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday in the Dey-Florin funeral home, St. Joseph. Burial will be in North Shore Memory Gardens.

Friends may call at the funeral home.

B. Oehlhaufen

Bernard "Ben" Oehlhaufen, 81, of 883 East Napier, Benton Harbor, died at 6:25 a.m. today in Mercy hospital, following an illness of several months.

He was born Jan. 28, 1895, in Benton township. His wife Helen preceded him in death in 1959.

Surviving are two sisters, Miss Carrie M. and Miss Loreta Oehlhaufen, both of Benton Harbor; a brother, Nelson J. Oehlhaufen, St. Joseph. A SISTER Ella preceded him in death in 1974.

Mr. Oehlhaufen was a veteran of World War I and was retired from Baker-Vawter Company. He was a member of St. John's

President's Aides: Jerry Is Gaining

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Europe and as long as I am president of the United States, our great country will never recognize or acquiesce in the Soviet domination of Eastern Europe."

In Cincinnati, Ford announced a proposal that he said would help limit the spread of nuclear arms around the world. And he announced that construction of a private uranium enrichment plant will begin next year at Portsmouth, Ohio. But Carter said Ford's proposal on limiting nuclear weapons was "too little, too late" and "a short-sighted, campaign-inspired attempt to correct the timid record of the past." And Carter opposed construction of the uranium enrichment plant unless it could be shown to be "necessary, safe and economical."

In Cleveland, Carter said he could not promise voters there would be a tax-cut during his administration, but he said such cuts are possible as a result of projecting his proposed economic policies. "I am very careful not to promise" tax cuts, he said. He said Wednesday that he felt such cuts would be "almost inevitable."

Minidale took Thursday off. Dole, campaigning in Oregon on Thursday, linked Soviet domination of Eastern European nations with Democrats. "I don't know of any Republicans hanging around Potsdam or Yalta," he said.

Dole is no longer using the term "Democrat wars" in referring to World War I, World War II, Korea and Vietnam. He has, at various times, repeated, modified and denied ever using the term, which he first used in his nationally televised debate with Mondale.

And Dole indicated his threat to talk about "Democrat wars" if Democrats talk about the Watergate scandals is working. "I've noticed less talk about Watergate in the past few days," he said.

Independent candidate Eugene McCarthy, trying to get on the ballot in New York, was to take his case to the Supreme Court today. McCarthy was ruled off the ballot by New York's highest court because of irregularities in his nominating petitions.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — Black singer Miriam Makeba told the U.N. General Assembly that she opposes recognition of Transkei, the state proclaimed two days ago in her native section of South Africa.

Other thefts reported to Benton Harbor police were: —A \$179 CB radio from the car of David Zimmerman, 381 Linn street, Eau Claire, parked on Third street.

—A .38 caliber revolver, valued at \$65, from the home of Erma Evans, 979 Lavette street. Thefts reported to Benton township police were:

—Six cases containing 36 gallons of antifreeze, all valued at \$141.00, from the Checker service station, 1242 M-139.

—A CB radio from the pickup truck of Artie Kiser, 446 Mayfield, parked in his driveway.

Berrien sheriff's deputies said William Geukes, 3947 Lemon Creek road, Lake township, reported two stereo speakers and a telephone answering device, all valued at \$350, were stolen from his residence.



DOWAGIAC HOMEcoming CONTESTANTS: Here are contestants for Homecoming king and queen at Dowagiac high school. Queen contestants in front row are, from left, Tami Brezen, Mimi Gwilt and Anne Smith. King contestants standing are, from left, Tom Tinkey, Jim Hargett and David Kusa. Winners will be crowned at halftime tonight during Homecoming football game with Cassopolis. (Sue Massey photo)

Catholic church. Funeral arrangements were incomplete this forenoon at the Fairplain Chapel, Florin funeral home.

Lillian Schutt

Mrs. Lillian N. Schutt, 77, Claremont Nursing home, died at 11:35 a.m. Thursday in Mercy hospital.

She was born Feb. 9, 1904, in Algonac, Mich., and had resided in the area five years, coming from Port Huron. Her husband, Robert Schutt, preceded her in death in 1967.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Alvin (Dorothy) Dorow, St. Joseph and two sisters, Mrs. Louise Horn and Mrs. Earl (Florence) Winistoff, both of Marine City, Mich.

Graveside rites will be held at 3 p.m. today in Riverside cemetery.

Local arrangements will be in charge of Dey-Florin funeral home, St. Joseph.

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The special gifts division of the 1976 Blossomland United Way campaign, led by Mrs. Jeanne Dwan, was the first unit to report an over-the-goal success Thursday at a special meeting of the BUW cabinet, according to Dr. Walter Browe, general chairman. Browe said the division has reached 100.3

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Several individual employee campaigns have reported significant increases in support for United Way services. Hughes Plastics, Inc., employees boomed ahead of last year with a 127 per cent gain; Sanitary Cleaners workers jumped 80 per cent over 1975 giving; Shepherd Products U.S. Inc. employees raised their giving by 33 per cent, followed closely by Peoples State Bank staff who reported a 29 per cent increase. Other strong increases were registered at American Society of Agricultural Engineers where an 18 per cent increase produced an average of \$58.19 per employee; St. Joseph Public Schools where an increase of 10 per cent was registered; Vail Rubber Works, Inc., posting a 9.5 per cent boost; and Inter-City Bank with a 6 per cent gain.

Over-goal reports were received from 3 sub-branches of the campaign structure. The community of Berrien Springs small business firms, under the direction of Bill Schirf, attained 113 per cent of its goal. Architects and Engineers in the Professional division, led by Team Captain Steve Pierpoint, scored 127 per cent of goal. An incomplete return from the Convalescent home team steered by Harold Borlik listed 233 per cent of goal reported. Legal Secretaries, reporting separately, showed a 48 per cent increase in giving.

Henderson Accuses Mittan

Charles F. Henderson, Democratic candidate for 44th District state legislator, charged today that Republican incumbent Ray Mittan voted against a bill that could be beneficial to Benton Harbor.

Henderson said the bill was on downtown development authorities which could mean a lot to Benton Harbor.

"My opponent... has made it known that he spends 70 per cent of his time in Lansing on problems relating to Benton Harbor. Yet with all this time and energy he spends on the city's behalf, what do residents get for it?" Henderson said.

Mittan, of Niles, responded to the charges saying Henderson "doesn't know anything about the legislative process."

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Hagar Dystrophy March

Wayne Prescott, Hagar township fire-chief, said the department will hold its March for Muscular Dystrophy today, Saturday and Sunday from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. each evening. Firemen will be going house-to-house.

Carter By The Hair

NEW YORK (AP) — The political experts say the presidential race is too close to call. But a New York wigmaker who's studied the record says he thinks Jimmy Carter will win because he's got more hair than President Ford. More hair? Yes, according to Ben Z. Kaplan, who makes hairpieces for men. Kaplan notes that Dwight D. Eisenhower has been the only completely bald president in the 20th century. And he notes that Eisenhower's opponent, Adlai E. Stevenson, was pretty bald himself, leaving hair-lovers little to choose from. The whole idea is scoffed at by one of the nation's best-known baldies, actor Telly Savalas, star of the "Kojak" television series. Savalas — who isn't actually bald, but shaves his head — said, "If Jimmy Carter's going to win because he has a lot of hair, woe is me to the American people." Whoever is chosen, Savalas said, should be picked on the basis of ability — not hair. The actor himself isn't supporting anyone in the presidential campaign. Not yet, at least. "I'll support him Tuesday morning when I go into the voting booth," said Savalas.

While he refused to take Kaplan's suggestions seriously, Savalas did spring to the defense of bald men by naming some hairless heroes from his native Greece: "Aristotle was bald. Plato was bald. Socrates was bald." Kaplan admits his studies aren't scientific. But he notes that there have been 12 elected presidents. Nine of them, he says, were hairier than their opponents. He counts the Eisenhower-Stevenson race as a tossup and says only Franklin D. Roosevelt and Harry Truman bucked the trend.

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BUCHANAN — Wilmer E. Baker, 70, of 2925 Mayflower road, Niles, a constable and building inspector in Bertrand township, died at 6 a.m. today in St. Joseph hospital, South Bend, Ind., following an illness of three months.

He was born Sept. 23, 1906, in Girard, Ill., and had resided in the area since 1933, coming from Goshen, Ind. Mr. Baker was a retired electrician and retired chief of the Bertrand township fire department.

Surviving are his widow, the former Dorothea Eisele; two sons, Gene and Glenn and a daughter, Mrs. Dean (Catherine) Curtis, all of Niles. Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p.m. Monday in the Portage-Prairie United Methodist church. Burial will be in Portage-Prairie cemetery.

Friends may call at the Swem-Smith funeral home, Buchanan, after 7 p.m. Saturday.

Memorials may be made to the church building fund.

Clarence Green

LAWRENCE — Clarence Green, 72, Route 2, Lawrence, died Thursday afternoon in Borgess hospital, Kalamazoo.

He was born June 4, 1904, in Alabama and was retired from Du-Well Manufacturing Company.

Surviving is a sister, Mrs. Lula Upshaw, Phenix City, Ala. His wife Verona preceded him in death.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete this forenoon at the Sisson funeral home, Lawrence.

Mrs. Quakenbush

BANGOR — Mrs. Margaret M. Quakenbush, 91, formerly of Bangor, died Thursday morning in National City, Calif.

She was born May 25, 1885, in Breedsville and moved to Gula Vista, Calif., in 1967, to make her home with her son, Max E. Spriggs. Mrs. Quakenbush was a member of Breedsville Rebekah lodge.

Surviving besides her son is a sister, Mrs. Florence Schemenauer, Bangor.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Bangor Church of Christ. Burial will be in Breedsville cemetery.

Friends may call at Stafford-Robbins funeral home, Bangor, after 3 p.m. Saturday.

An undetermined quantity of meat was reported stolen from Spears Food Service, 613 Columbus avenue, Benton Harbor police said.

Robert Morrison, owner of the store, said he found the front glass door smashed in. It was unknown what in addition to the meat was stolen.

Other thefts reported to Benton Harbor police were:

—A \$179 CB radio from the car of David Zimmerman, 381 Linn street, Eau Claire, parked on Third street.

—A .38 caliber revolver, valued at \$65, from the home of Erna Evans, 979 Lavette street.

Thefts reported to Benton township police were:

—Six cans containing 36 gallons of antifreeze, all valued at \$141.90, from the Choker service station, 1242 M-139.

—A CB radio from the pickup truck of Artie Kiser, 446 Mayfield, parked in his driveway.

Berrien sheriff's deputies said William Geukes, 3947 Lemon Creek road, Lake township, reported two stereo speakers and a telephone answering device, all valued at \$350, were stolen from his residence.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Martha Ivy

Mrs. Martha Elizabeth Ivy, 87, formerly of 748 Columbus, Benton Harbor, died at 6 p.m. Thursday in Berrien General hospital, Berrien Center.

She was born Feb. 8, 1889, in Choctaw, Miss., and had resided in the area 20 years. Her husband, Merritt Ivy, preceded her in death on Oct. 14, 1968.

She was an associate member of Jehovah's Witnesses, Kingdom Hall.

Surviving are a son Charles, Benton Harbor; three daughters, Mrs. Fred (Lillie) Hess, Benton Harbor, Mrs. Willie (Gertrude) Heathcock, Baroda and Mrs. Arthur (Dorothy) Harvill, Kenosha, Wis.

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B. Oehlhauffen

Bernard "Ben" Oehlhauffen, 81, of 883 East Napier, Benton Harbor, died at 6:25 a.m. today in Mercy hospital, following an illness of several months.

He was born Jan. 28, 1895, in Benton township. His wife Helen preceded him in death in 1959.

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In Cleveland, Ford told an audience in an ethnic neighborhood that as long as he is president their relatives still under Soviet domination will not be forgotten.

Ford didn't mention the blunder he pulled in his second debate with Carter, in which he declared that the Soviet Union does not dominate its Eastern European satellites. But he told the crowd Thursday night that "the United States as a matter of fundamental principle supports the aspirations for freedom and national independence for the people of Eastern

Europe and as long as I am president of the United States, our great country will never recognize or acquiesce in the Soviet domination of Eastern Europe."

In Cincinnati, Ford announced a proposal that he said would help limit the spread of nuclear arms around the world. And he announced that construction of a private uranium enrichment plant will begin next year at Portsmouth, Ohio.

But Carter said Ford's proposal on limiting nuclear weapons was "too little, too late" and "a short-sighted, campaign-inspired attempt to correct the timid record of the past." And Carter opposed construction of the uranium enrichment plant unless it could be shown to be "necessary, safe and economical."

In Cleveland, Carter said he could not promise voters there would be a tax cut during his administration, but he said such cuts are possible as a result of projecting his proposed economic policies.

"I am very careful not to promise" tax cuts, he said. He said Wednesday that he felt such cuts would be "almost inevitable."

Mondale took Thursday off. Dole, campaigning in Oregon on Thursday, linked Soviet domination of Eastern European nations with Democrats. "I don't know of any Republicans hanging around Potsdam or Yalta," he said.

Dole is no longer using the term "Democrat wars" in referring to World War I, World War II, Korea and Vietnam. He has, at various times, repeated, modified and denied ever using the term, which he first used in his nationally televised debate with Mondale.

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Staff Writer

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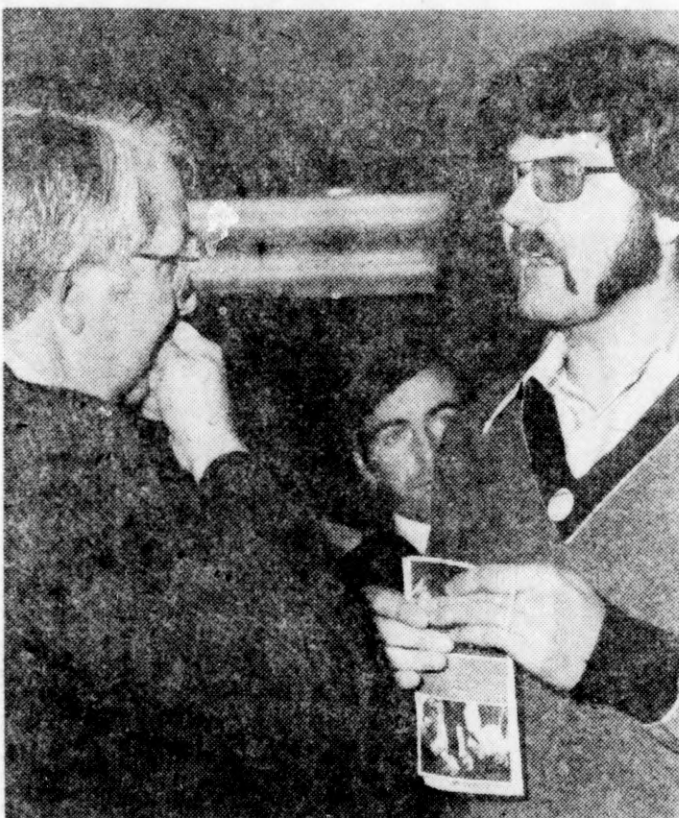
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Welsh didn't paint a pretty picture for Saturday, though.

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If Notre Dame Coach Dan

Devine can help it, the Irish won't take Navy lightly despite their 39-9-1 lead in the series and the poor showing by the young Midshipmen this season.

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NY Nets	2	2	.500	1 1/2
Philadelphia	2	2	.500	1 1/2

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Cleveland	3	0	1.000	—
Columbus	2	1	.667	1
Houston	2	1	.667	1
Memphis	2	1	.667	1
San Antonio	2	2	.500	1 1/2
Washington	1	2	.333	2

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Denver	3	0	1.000	—
Chicago	2	1	.667	1
Golden State	2	1	.667	1
Kon City	1	2	.333	2
Portland	1	2	.333	2
Seattle	1	2	.333	2
Utah	1	2	.333	2
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Thursday's Results
Boston 112, Buffalo 105
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Golden State 112, Portland 92

Friday's Games
Indiana at New York Nets
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WHA

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Quebec	5	1	0	.833	32	26
Cincinnati	4	3	0	.571	46	39
Calgary	4	3	1	.500	41	36
Edmonton	3	3	1	.500	33	32
Phoenix	3	3	2	.500	30	32
Winnipeg	2	4	1	.333	18	26
Los Angeles	2	5	1	.286	20	37

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Houston	4	3	1	.556	39	34
Edmonton	4	4	0	.500	33	32
Calgary	2	6	1	.250	23	37

Thursday's Results
Edmonton 4, Birmingham 3, OT
Minnesota 1, Houston 1, OT, tie
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Phila	6	3	1	.643	33	29
Alto	5	6	1	.455	37	47
NY Rangers	5	6	0	.455	44	44

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Wash	1	7	4	.214	20	38

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Toronto 3, Detroit 1
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Hoping to stop a seven-game non-winning string, Kelly inserted 22-year-old Mike Palmateer into the game and the broad-shouldered goalie kicked out 24 shots, leading Toronto to a 3-1 National Hockey League victory over the Detroit Red Wings.

Kelly admitted that he got the idea of starting Palmateer after watching the youngster stop 40 shots while beating the Red Wings in a preseason game.

Palmateer was nervous on the eve of his NHL debut. "I met the team in the afternoon after I got to Detroit. I admit I was more than a little nervous but those guys played great in front of me ... I was expecting a lot more work."

In other NHL action, the Philadelphia Flyers blanked the Pittsburgh Penguins 3-0, the New York Islanders stopped the St. Louis Blues 5-2, the Los Angeles Kings defeated the Atlanta Flames 5-1, and the Vancouver Canucks turned back the Cleveland Barons 3-1.

In the World Hockey Association, the Edmonton Oilers edged the Birmingham Bulls 4-3 in overtime and the

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Toronto's Bob Neely scored a power play goal in the second period, snapping a 1-1 tie. The only goal permitted by Palmateer was scored by Danny Grant in the first period.

Goalie Bernie Parent recorded his 41st NHL shutout as Philadelphia ran its unbeaten streak to six games by blanking Pittsburgh.

Jean Potvin's shorthanded goal highlighted a three-goal New York second period and carried the Islanders past St. Louis. With Denis Potvin in the penalty box, Jean Potvin took the puck at the right sideboards. He found Ed Westfall at the left boards. Then converted Westfall's centering pass at 14:45 into a 4-1 New York lead.

Three first-period goals, including Mike Murphy's shorthanded score, propelled Los Angeles over Atlanta. The triumph enabled the Kings to continue their home domination over the Flames, who now are winless in 10 games at the Forum.

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Al Hamilton scored a powerplay goal with 7:10 gone in overtime, giving Edmonton its victory over Birmingham.

Ron Ward's power-play goal at 1:29 of the third period gave Minnesota its tie against Houston.

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SATURDAY
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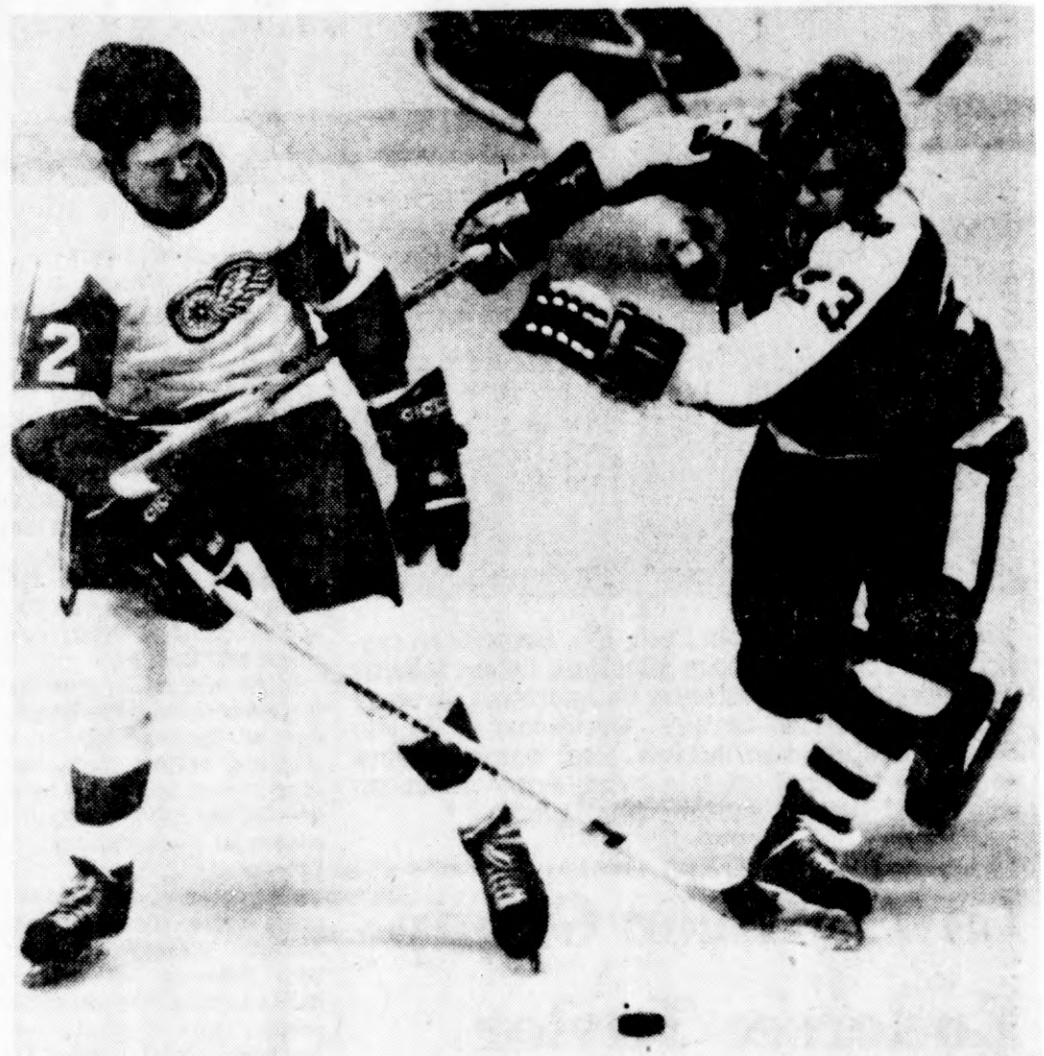
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Central Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Cleveland	3	0	1.000	
Atlanta	2	1	.667	1 1/2
Houston	2	1	.667	1 1/2
N. Orleans	1	1	.500	2 1/2
S. Antonio	2	2	.500	2 1/2
Washington	1	2	.333	2 1/2
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Denver	3	0	1.000	
Chicago	2	1	.667	1 1/2
Detroit	2	1	.667	1 1/2
Kan. City	2	2	.500	2 1/2
Indiana	1	3	.250	2 1/2
Milwaukee	0	3	.000	4
Pacific Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Portland	2	1	.667	
Golden St.	2	2	.500	1 1/2
Seattle	1	2	.333	2 1/2
Los Ang.	1	3	.250	2 1/2
Phoenix	0	3	.000	4
Thursday's Results				
Boston 112, Buffalo 105				
Cleveland 114, New York Knicks 90				
Denver 119, Milwaukee 100				
Golden State 112, Portland 92				
Friday's Games				
Indiana at New York Nets				
Phoenix at Chicago				
San Antonio at Kansas City				
Washington at New Orleans				
Atlanta at Los Angeles				
Detroit at Seattle				

WHA						
Eastern Division						
	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Quebec	8	1	0	16	52	28
Cincinnati	4	3	2	10	44	39
Birmingham	4	3	1	9	44	55
Minn	3	5	2	8	30	32
N. Eng	2	4	1	5	19	26
Indy	2	5	1	5	20	37
Western Division						
	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Winnipeg	6	5	0	12	36	19
Phoenix	5	3	0	10	32	40
S. Diego	4	3	2	10	35	34
Houston	4	4	1	9	29	33
Edmtn	4	3	0	8	23	23
Calgary	2	6	1	5	27	30
Thursday's Results						
Edmonton 4, Birmingham 3, OT						
San Antonio 1, Houston 1, OT tie						
Friday's Games						
Phoenix at New England						
San Diego at Cincinnati						
Quebec at Indianapolis						
Edmonton at Winnipeg						

Minnesota	1	Houston	1	OT, tie
Friday's Games				
Phoenix of New England				
San Diego at Cincinnati				
Quebec at Indianapolis				
Edmonton at Winnipeg				

NHL

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Patrick Division					
	W	L	T	Pts	GF
N.Y. Isl	7	2	1	15	37
Phila	6	3	1	13	33
Atlin	5	4	1	11	37
N.Y. Rang	5	6	0	10	45
Smythe Division					
	W	L	T	Pts	GF
St Lou	6	5	0	12	38
Chiago	5	5	1	11	37
Minn	4	5	1	9	32
Vancvr	4	7	0	8	29

WALES CONFERENCE				
Norris Division				
Mont	9	2	1	63
L.A.	6	3	15	47
W.H.Ts	2	6	3	37
Dirtl	2	6	1	5
Wash	1	5	2	26
Adams Division				
Bstn	8	2	0	16
Buff	4	4	1	9
Cleve	3	4	2	8
Tnto	2	5	3	36
Thursday's Results				
Toronto 3, Detroit 1				
New York Islanders 5, St. Louis 2				
Philadelphia 3, Pittsburgh 0				
Los Angeles 5, Atlanta 1				
Vancouver 3, Cleveland 1				
Friday's Game				
Washington at Colorado				

Navy Big Underdog Against Notre Dame

CLEVELAND (AP) — It's batten down the hatches, full speed ahead and don't give up the ship for the Navy football team as it prepares for another in a series of weekly gaes, this one known as "The Irish Hurricane."

Eleventh-ranked Notre Dame, 6-1 and riding a six-game winning streak, provides the opposition Saturday in Cleveland Stadium as Navy tries to scramble up from the depths of a 1-6 start.

A crowd of more than 60,000 is expected for the 50th anniversary of college football's longest continuous intersectional rivalry and the first meeting of Navy and Notre Dame here since 1952.

The Midshipmen have gone

through a crushing season so far, suffering the most during a 70-14 humiliation to No. 1 Michigan and last week's 45-0 rout by No. 2 Pittsburgh.

Looking to the future, Navy Coach George Welsh started five freshmen and only one senior against Pitt, and he said he is planning to continue that strategy against the Irish.

Welsh didn't paint a pretty picture for Saturday, though.

"Our major concern is offense," he noted. "We aren't able to sustain much of anything at the moment. And Notre Dame is another one of the outstanding defensive teams in the country this year. They're near the top in just about every defensive statistic."

If Notre Dame Coach Dan

Devine can help it, the Irish won't take Navy lightly despite their 39-9-1 lead in the series and the poor showing by the young Midshipmen this season.

"Navy hasn't enjoyed much success because of its youth and inexperience, but that's precisely why we'll approach this game as if they were the No. 1 team in the country," Devine said.

"With what's happening each week in college football, we would be in a perfect situation to get caught napping if we didn't work as hard as possible in preparation for this game."

The Irish are coming off a hard-earned 13-6 victory over South Carolina, a battle in which they extended their string of quarters without allowing a touchdown to 20.

They have allowed just four field goals since an opening game loss to Pitt, in tying a record set by the national champion Irish of 1946.

A Notre Dame spokesman also pointed out that junior running back Al Hunter ran for 181 yards against South Carolina and said, "We had a lot of injuries and a lot of young people on our offense early in the season. Now the offensive line is playing well together and beginning to jell."

Navy's backfield could become quite familiar with Notre Dame defensive ends Ross Browner and Willie Fry, but regular defensive tackles Ken Dike, with an ankle sprain, and Mike Calhoun, with back spasms, both are questionable starters.

Leafs Finally Win With Goalie Switch

From ASSOCIATED PRESS

When your team is losing, anything goes — even hunches.

Coach Red Kelly of the Toronto Maple Leafs played one Thursday night, and as a result, snapped his club's long winless streak and came up with a hot-gloved goalie.

Hoping to stop a seven-game non-winning string, Kelly inserted 22-year-old Mike Palmateer into the game and the broad-shouldered goalie kicked out 24 shots, leading Toronto to a 3-1 National Hockey League victory over the Detroit Red Wings.

Kelly admitted that he got the idea of starting Palmateer after watching the youngster stop 40 shots while beating the Red Wings in a preseason game.

Palmateer was nervous on the eve of his NHL debut.

"I met the team in the afternoon after I got to Detroit. I admit I was more than a little nervous but those guys played great in front of me ... I was expecting a lot more work."

In other NHL action, the Philadelphia Flyers blanked the Pittsburgh Penguins 3-0, the New York Islanders stopped the St. Louis Blues 5-2, the Los Angeles Kings defeated the Atlanta Flames 5-1, and the Vancouver Canucks turned back the Cleveland Barons 3-1.

In the World Hockey Association, the Edmonton Oilers edged the Birmingham Bulls 4-3 in overtime and the

Minnesota Fighting Saints and the Houston Aeros played a 1-1 tie.

Toronto's Bob Neely scored a power play goal in the second period, snapping a 1-1 tie. The only goal permitted by Palmateer was scored by Danny Grant in the first period.

Goalie Bernie Parent recorded his 41st NHL shutout as Philadelphia ran its unbeaten streak to six games by blanking Pittsburgh.

Jean Potvin's shorthanded goal highlighted a three-goal New York second period and carried the Islanders past St. Louis. With Denis Potvin in the penalty box, Jean Potvin took the puck at the right sideboards. He found Ed Westfall at the left boards, then converted Westfall's centering pass at 14:45 into a 4-1 New York lead.

Three first-period goals, including Mike Murphy's shorthanded score, propelled Los Angeles over Atlanta. The triumph enabled the Kings to continue their home domination over the Flames, who now are winless in 10 games at the Forum.

Rookie Andy Spruce came off

the bench and ignited a slumbering Vancouver offense, sparking the Canucks past Cleveland.

Aggressive forechecking by Spruce set up the winning goal by Dennis Ververgaert midway through the third period, breaking a 1-1 tie. Spruce then contributed an insurance goal.

Al Hamilton scored a powerplay goal with 7:10 gone in overtime, giving Edmonton its victory over Birmingham.

Ron Ward's power-play goal at 1:29 of the third period gave Minnesota its tie against Houston.

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TONIGHT	
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Eau Claire at Watervliet	
Gallen of New Buffalo	
Decatur at Martin	
Lawton at Bloomingdale	
Saugus at Gobles	
Marcellus at Lawrence	
Bongor at Galesburg-Augusta	
Kalamazoo-Loy Norrix at Niles	
Three Rivers at Paw Paw	
Fennville at Montague	
SATURDAY	
Berrien Springs at Lake Michigan Catholic	
Newberry at South Haven (2 p.m.)	

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Major Running For President

BY MAJOR AMOS B. HOOPLE Presidential Powerhouse
Start up the band and ring out the rhetoric ...it's time for another presidential election!
But have you noticed, football fans, that none of the candidates are pledging anything for the gridiron buffs of the world. Not one word has been said about lowering the cost of beer at Pontiac Stadium. No one has said anything about making it a federal offense to not cover the spread each week, either.
So the Ole Major has decided to do something about it. Major Amos B. Hoople is now proclaiming himself a candidate for President of the United States.
Hoople isn't going to mess around with any foreign policy promises he can't keep. If elected President, I will introduce the Hoople Doctrine to the world.
The Ole Major, who would be promoted to General, would immediately cut off relations with any country not recognizing football as its national pastime. And I don't mean the English-type of football they play with that round ball, either.
Hoople would also make it against the world law to charge more than \$3 for any seat in a stadium and 35 cents for a beer.
Hoople's domestic policy would be even more sweeping. I first would make Howard Cosell Public Enemy No. 1 and bar him from speaking, writing or breathing for the rest of his natural life.
I would also make it illegal for any team to lose all its games in one season. That way teams won't be able to load up

on the likes of Seattle, Tampa Bay or New Buffalo.
Of course, Hoople would make all sports play their games with a football. That would make Pete Rose think twice about fielding a hot grounder to third. Or can you see the fun when Tiny Archibald tries to dribble through the Pistons' press.
The Ole Major would also make some key cabinet post changes. Mean Joe Green would head the Department of Defense. Fran Tarkenton and O.J. Simpson would be in charge of the Department of Transportation and Conrad Dubler would be the new Secretary of State. If anyone didn't see it his way, he would just poke their eyes out.
Back on the state scene, Hoople would make it illegal for Michigan to run away with its games every Saturday. But this week looks like another romp with the Wolverines keeping the Little Brown Jug again.
And if Michigan State doesn't beat Purdue by at least two touchdowns, it should be put on probation for another two years.
Hoople's spies also inform him that a defensive halfback named Craig Jensen will lead Brigham past once mighty Arizona State Saturday. Let's go Cougars!!
Speaking of good information...on with the forecast!!
Hoople hit 17 of 20 high school picks last week and now stands 88 for 128 (73 per cent). In the college ranks, Hoople is 185 for 263 (70 per cent).

Racers Lose Hockey Opener In Final Period

KALAMAZOO — The Benton Harbor Racers hockey team opened its second season in the Kalamazoo Area Senior Hockey league Thursday night, losing a close one to last year's champions Century Buick, 2-1.
Century Buick broke open a close defensive struggle by scoring two goals midway through the final period to take a 2-0 lead.
Racer newcomer Sean Pallaghi scored for Benton Harbor with less than four minutes to play, with Frank Grumbir and Joe Davies assisting on the Racer goal. The Racers were playing without last year's league leading scorer Steve Schneek.
The Racers return to action Wednesday night against the Kalamazoo Sabres.

Mervenne Lifts Lancer Frosh

Mike Mervenne scored three touchdowns and passed for two more Wednesday as Lakeshore's freshmen football team ripped Brandywine 46-14.
Mervenne scored on runs of 25, 3 and 4 yards, while passing to Kevin Warnock for a 35-yard score and to Kevin Oliver for a 15-yard tally. He also ran for a two-point conversion.
Mike Hamilton added a 35-yard scoring jaunt and Warnock ran for three two-point conversions.

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Davis TDs Lead Tiger Freshmen

Keith Davis scored three touchdowns and ran for one conversion as Benton Harbor's "Orange" freshmen football team blasted Holland 38-0 Thursday night.
Davis scored on runs of 35, 40 and 46 yards in helping the Orange team up its record to 3-1-1.
Also scoring touchdowns were Tony Williams on a 39-yard run and Earl Board on a 35-yard jaunt. Williams, Tim Thompson and Vernell Murkey each ran for two-point conversions. Dennis Clayborn did a superb job at quarterback.
Chris Thompson, who blocked a punt, and Willie Mahins sparked the defensive effort.

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SPORTS CAPSULES

TENNIS
PERTH, Australia — Syd Ball of Australia defeated American Chico Haggy 6-4, 6-2 in the quarter-finals of a \$40,000 international tennis tournament.
BUEENOS AIRES — Romanian Ili Nastase won his second straight match in the \$17,000, four-man round-robin Obras '76 tournament, beating countryman Ion Tiriac 6-3, 7-6.
PARIS — Chile's Jaime Fillol and Britain's Mark Cox advanced to the semifinals of the Paris Indoor Open. Fillol beat Tom Okker of the Netherlands 6-4, 6-3 and Cox upended American Eric van Dillen 6-4, 1-6, 6-2.
VIENNA — Victor Pecci of Paraguay upset fourth-seeded Brian Gottfried of the United States and reached the semifinals of the Grand Prix.
TUCSON, Ariz. — Top-seeded Vijay Amritraj of India dropped out of the opening match of the \$20,000 Tucson Tennis Classic because of a bad back while Puerto Rico's Charles 'Pasarell' ousted local favorite Fred Stolle 4-6, 6-4, 6-1.
GOLF
SYDNEY, Australia — American Curtis Strange shot a oneunder-par 71 for the first round lead in the \$180,000 Wills Open Golf Tournament.
Hackett Wins
KALAMAZOO — The unbeaten Kalamazoo Hackett freshmen downed the Benton Harbor "Black" squad 22-6 here Thursday. Junior McCarter, who gained 89 yards on nine carries, scored the lone Benton Harbor TD on a 43-yard run. Defensive standouts for Benton Harbor, now 2-3, were Eric Hartfield and Anthony Wysinger.

Vanderbush Puts Lakeshore Away

Lakeshore coach Bill Davison felt defending Patience Vanderbush would be the key to his team's chances against Buchanan Thursday night.
The Lancer girls came through with a strong defensive effort, but it still didn't stop Vanderbush.
All the Buck standout did was score a career-high 34 points as the Bucks kept their slim Blossomland title hopes alive with a 57-46 victory.
Buchanan is now 8-2 in the league and trails River Valley

(10-0) by two games with four to play. The Mustangs took care of Dowagiac 63-38 Thursday.
In other Blossomland play, Edwardsburg ran its record to 8-2 with a 50-36 win over Brandywine and Cassopolis ripped Coloma 66-27.
"I thought we played pretty good defense on her," Davison said of Vanderbush. "But she just shot over us. We made her work for everything she got."
Buchanan coach Ray Berry added that Vanderbush shot well from the 10 to 12-foot range and that she also "drove well and got position underneath for rebounding."
Buchanan led just 28-26 at halftime but methodically pulled away in the second half. Marlene Peldys topped the Lancers (5-5) with 13.
River Valley outscored Dowagiac 16-1 in the second quarter and coasted to their 13th straight win.
Wendy Schwark paced the Mustangs with 19 points and 11 rebounds. Peg DeMorrow added 16 points, Ruth Simmons had 14 and Debbie Lundin had 10.
Deb Schonbok and Vicky Williams tossed in 12 apiece for the Chieftains (3-7).
Edwardsburg raced out to a 27-16 halftime lead and was never headed against Brandywine. Tammy Herremans tossed in 15 points, Margu Runkle added 12 and Sue Catu chipped in 10 for the Eddies.
Billie Goins scored 20 points and Rochelle Ventress added 16 as Cass won for only the second time in 10 league games. Coloma fell to 0-10.
The Rangers led only 24-15 at halftime, but steadily pulled away in the second half.

Hartford Improves In Defeat

Jean Hollar keeps seeing improvement in her Hartford girls basketball team with every game.
Despite a 50-23 loss Thursday to Red Arrow leader Lake Michigan Catholic, Hollar could still find a bright spot on the horizon.
"Going from a 50-point loss margin to 27 is a big improvement for us defensively," Hollar said of the Indians, who lost an earlier game to the Lakers 73-14. "We play a pretty fair defensive game now. But we're still having trouble with our shooting, though."
In other Red Arrow action Thursday, Berrien Springs kept its title hopes alive with a 48-31 victory over Bridgman. The Shamrocks are now 9-1 in the league with the only loss coming at the hands of the Lakers (10-0).
Eau Claire blasted Galien 38-14 and Watervliet smashed New Buffalo 56-9.
Catholic grabbed a 37-13 halftime lead and was never seriously challenged after that. But the Indians never let up.
Maureen McCrone tossed in 12 points and Shelly Schmid added 11 for the winners. Lori Shindeidecker tallied eight for Hartford (5-5).
Though no one scored in double figures, the Shamrocks still were able to pull away from Bridgman in the fourth quarter. Leading just 32-25 after three periods, Berrien outscored the Bees 16-6 in the final eight minutes to clinch the victory.
Diana Jones tossed in 10 points for Bridgman to lead all scorers. Pam Herman had nine, and Kathy Keigley and Anne Prillwitz each had eight for Berrien.
Kim Philpitt had 18 points, and Renee Detwiler 12 as Watervliet evened its record at 5-5. Marie Trainor had five for New Buffalo, now 0-10.

Indians Top Raider Runners

DECATUR — Hartford outran Decatur 25-30 here Wednesday in a cross country dual meet.
Nick Athens of Decatur finished first in 16:05 and Hartford's Mark Manning was second in 16:23. Both times broke the old course record at Decatur.
Rounding out the top ten, Hartford placed Dennis Frazier third, Mike Buchholz fifth, Joe Bunn seventh, Steve Buchholz eighth, and Decatur placed Steve Overley fourth, Tim Wiles sixth, Jim Sly ninth, and Bob Rice tenth.
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Bear Jayvees Lose To Central

Portage Central's Rod Needham broke up a 6-6 half-time deadlock with two third quarter touchdown runs while leading the Mustang Jayvees to a 19-6 win over St. Joseph Thursday night at Dickinson Stadium.
St. Joe, now 1-5 this season, got its lone score in the second quarter on a two-yard TD run by quarterback Jeff Kiesel. Central's other touchdown was posted by Doug Sleep.
Defensive standouts for St. Joe were linebacker Tom Redman, end Mark Crist and safety Jeff Zych.

Bulldogs Fall
COVERT — Farline Stubbs scored 12 points Wednesday as Covert's girls basketball team got by Bloomington 34-29. Bloomington did win the junior varsity game 26-20.

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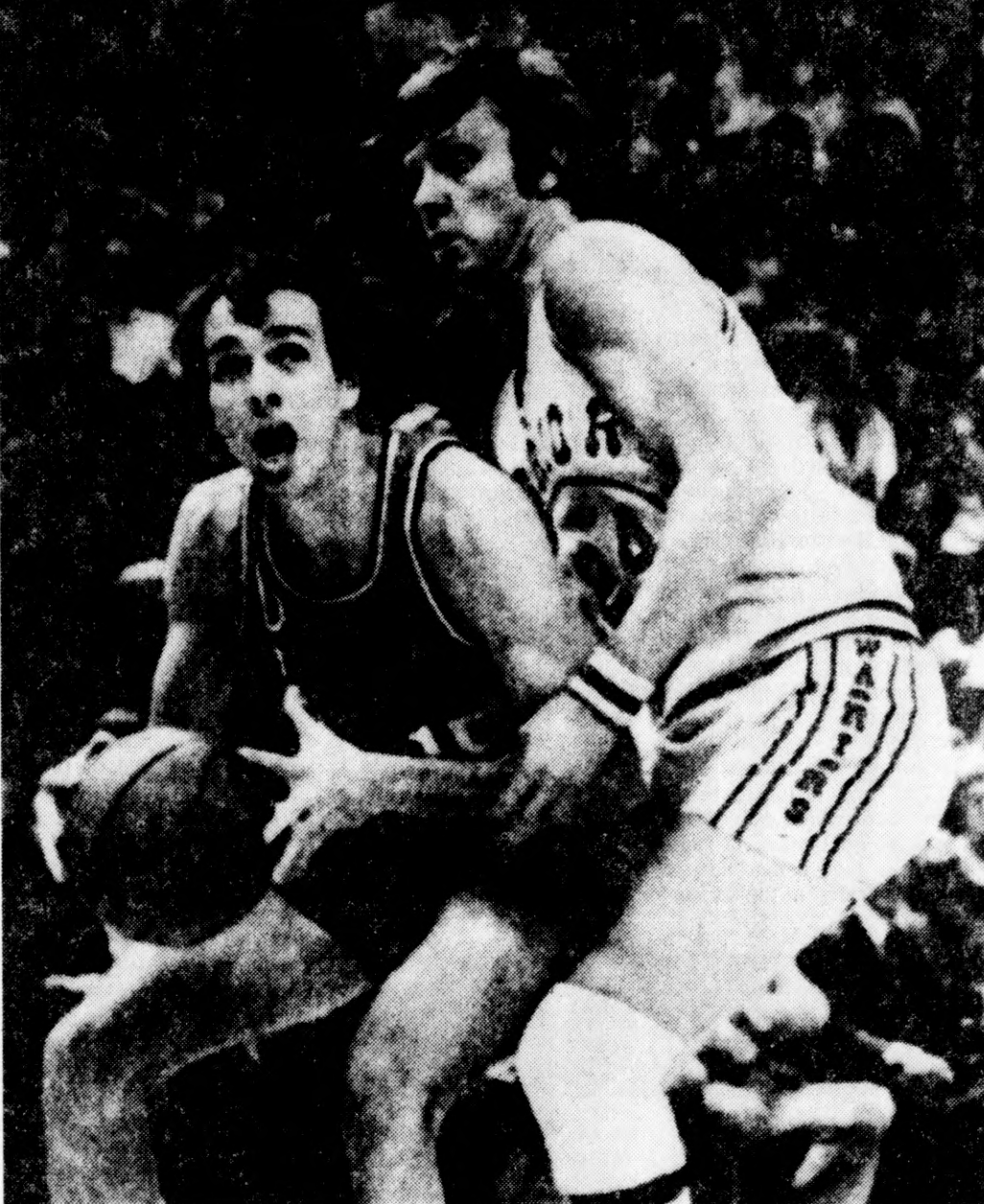
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Dallas goes into Washington's RFK Stadium with a one-game lead over the Redskins and St. Louis in the National Conference East. The 'Skins are coming off a 20-10 upset of the Cardinals that kept them alive in the playoff race. And they've got a bit of history going for them against the Cowboys. Dallas hasn't won in Washington in five games — one of them a playoff — dating back to 1971.

The Cards, meanwhile, need a victory to stay close to the Cowboys and Redskins while the 49ers figure a victory is a must if they are to stay atop the NFC West, since they lead Los Angeles by one-half game and the Rams are prohibitive favorites over Seattle.

Minnesota can virtually clinch the NFC Central title. The Vikings are the NFL's only unbeaten team at 6-0-1 while Chicago is locked in second place with Green Bay and Detroit, each at 3-4.



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Cavaliers Gain Knicks' Respect Unbeaten Boston, Denver Post Easy Wins

From ASSOCIATED PRESS
Before meeting the New York Knicks, the Cleveland Cavaliers gave them great respect.

"We figured the Knicks were the best team in the league ... we lived in fear of their fast break," said Cleveland Coach Bill Fitch.

After beating the Knicks, the respect was reversed. "They didn't allow us to run as well as we did in the past," said New York Coach Red Holzman after his team lost a 114-90 National Basketball Association decision to the Cavs Thursday night. "We didn't play well and they did. They are a good ball club."

Good preparation was the key to Cleveland's victory. "We had to stop their fast break," said Fitch. "... and we did. They just got one out of their system. We played well with the lead tonight — unlike our first two games."

The loss was the first three victories for the Knicks while the unbeaten Cavaliers won their third game.

In other NBA games, the Boston Celtics whipped the Buffalo Braves 112-105, the Denver Nuggets stopped the Milwaukee Bucks 119-100, and the Golden State Warriors trimmed the Portland Trail Blazers 112-92.

Bobby Smith scored 23 points and Campy Russell added 18, leading Cleveland's victory. The Cavaliers went on a 31-11 tear in the second quarter to break open the game.

The Knicks played without guard Walt Frazier, who was out due to a death in his family. Austin Carr came off the bench to score nine points and ignite the Cavaliers' second-quarter burst as the Knicks never got within 14 points after that.

Charlie Scott scored 31 points, pacing Boston over Buffalo. The unbeaten Celtics, who won their third game, had a 14-point lead by halftime and maintained an 11-point bulge at the close of the third period. The outcome never was in doubt after that.

Dan Issel poured in 26 of his game-high 30 points as Denver, also unbeaten in three games, jumped to a 60-51 first-half lead and cruised past winless Milwaukee.

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Presidential Powerhouse

Start up the band and ring out the rhetoric ... it's time for another presidential election!

But have you noticed, football fans, that none of the candidates are pledging anything for the gridiron buffs of the world. Not one word has been said about lowering the cost of beer at Pontiac Stadium. No one has said anything about making it a federal offense to not cover the spread each week, either.

So the Ole Major has decided to do something about it. Major Amos B. Hoople is now proclaiming himself a candidate for President of the United States.

Hoople isn't going to mess around with any foreign policy promises he can't keep. If elected President, I will introduce the Hoople Doctrine to the world.

The Ole Major, who would be promoted to General, would immediately cut off relations with any country not recognizing football as its national pastime. And I don't mean the English-type of football they play with that round ball, either.

Hoople would also make it against the world law to charge more than \$3 for any seat in a stadium and 35 cents for a beer.

Hoople's domestic policy would be even more sweeping. I first would make Howard Cosell Public Enemy No. 1 and bar him from speaking, writing or breathing for the rest of his natural life.

I would also make it illegal for any team to lose all its games in one season. That way teams won't be able to load up

on the likes of Seattle, Tampa Bay or New Buffalo.

Of course, Hoople would make all sports play their games with a football. That would make Pete Rose think twice about fielding a hot grounder to third. Or can you see the fun when Tiny Archibald tries to dribble through the Pistons' press.

The Ole Major would also make some key cabinet post changes. Mean Joe Green would head the Department of Defense, Fran Tarkenton and O.J. Simpson would be in charge of the Department of Transportation and Conrad Dobler would be the new Secretary of State. If anyone didn't see it his way, he would just poke their eyes out.

Back on the state scene, Hoople would make it illegal for Michigan to run away with its games every Saturday. But this week looks like another romp with the Wolverines keeping the Little Brown Jug again.

And if Michigan State doesn't beat Purdue by at least two touchdowns, it should be put on probation for another two years.

Hoople's spies also inform him that a defensive halfback named Craig Jensen will lead Brigham past once mighty Arizona State Saturday. Let's Go Cougars!!

Speaking of good information, on with the forecast!!

Hoople hit 17 of 20 high school picks last week and now stands 88 for 120 (73 per cent). In the college ranks, Hoople is 185 for 263 (70 per cent).

HIGH SCHOOL

Muskegon Catholic 28, Benton Harbor 18
Portage Central 21, St. Joseph 13
Brandywine 31, Lakeshore 20
Coloma 22, River Valley 19
Cassopolis 28, Dowagiac 6
Edwardsburg 30, Buchanan 12
Hartford 35, Bridgman 8
Waterford 28, Eau Claire 12
New Buffalo 15, Galien 12
Decatur 31, Marquette 12
Bloomington 30, Lawton 13
Saugatuck 21, Gables 9
Marcellus 30, Lawrence 12
Galesburg-Augusta 26, Bangor 6
Kalamazoo-Loy Norrix 28, Niles 8
Three Rivers 21, Fort Paw 12
Montague 22, Fenwick 19
Berrien Springs 20, Lake Michigan
South Haven 30, Newberry 8

COLLEGE

Alabama 23, Mississippi 13
Air Force 21, TCU 7
Bowling Green 28, Central Michigan 14
Brigham Young 31, Arizona State 24
Oklahoma 28, Colorado 24
Wyoming 17, Colorado State 10
Georgia Tech 24, Duke 21
Florida 35, Auburn 21
Georgia 28, Cincinnati 10
Houston 40, Texas 14
Illinois 24, Wisconsin 14
Ohio State 35, Indiana 12
Iowa 20, Northwestern 10
Iowa State 17, Kansas 0
Nebraska 28, Kansas 17
Kent State 28, Eastern Michigan 14
Marshall 21, Kentucky 10
Michigan 40, Minnesota 14
Michigan State 28, Purdue 10
Notre Dame 40, Navy 7
Ball State 38, Northern Illinois 10
Missouri 20
Oregon 14, Washington 13
Pittsburgh 28, Syracuse 7
South Carolina 30, N. Carolina 20
USC 31, California 24
Texas A & M 31, SMU 17
Stanford 24, Oregon 31
Penn State 28, Temple 20
Texas Tech 24, Texas 23
Miami (O.) 20, Toledo 7
Arizona 14, Utah 14
Boston College 27, Villanova 10
UCLA 33, Washington 26
Western Michigan 31, Ohio Univ. 24
Arkansas 35, Rice 20
LSU 17, Mississippi 10

Racers Lose Hockey Opener In Final Period

KALAMAZOO — The Benton Harbor Racers hockey team opened its second season in the Kalamazoo Area Senior Hockey league Thursday night, losing a close one to last year's champions Century Buick, 2-1.

Century Buick broke open a close defensive struggle by scoring two goals midway through the final period to take a 2-0 lead.

Racer newcomer Sean Pallaghi scored for Benton Harbor with less than four minutes to play, with Frank Grumbir and Joe Davies assisting on the Racer goal. Last year's league leading scorer Steve Schneek.

The Racers return to action Wednesday night against the Kalamazoo Sabres.

Mervenne Lifts Lancer Frosh

Mike Mervenne scored three touchdowns and passed for two more Wednesday as Lakeshore's freshmen football team ripped Brandywine 46-14.

Mervenne scored on runs of 25, 3 and 4 yards, while passing to Kevin Warnock for a 35-yard score and to Kevin Oliver for a 15-yard tally. He also ran for a two-point conversion.

Mike Hamilton added a 35-yard scoring jaunt and Warnock ran for three two-point conversions.

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Davis TDs Lead Tiger Freshmen

Keith Davis scored three touchdowns and ran for one conversion as Benton Harbor's 'Orange' freshmen football team blasted Holland 38-0 Thursday night.

Davis scored on runs of 35, 40 and 46 yards in helping the Orange team up its record to 3-1-1.

Also scoring touchdowns were Tony Williams on a 30-yard run and Earl Board on a 35-yard jaunt. Williams, Tim Thompson and Vernell Murkey each ran for two-point conversions. Dennis Clayborn did a superb job at quarterback.

Chris Thompson, who blocked a punt, and Willie Mabins sparked the defensive effort.

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SPORTS CAPSULES

TENNIS

PERTH, Australia — Syd Ball of Australia defeated American Chico Hagge 6-4, 6-2 in the quarter-finals of a \$40,000 international tennis tournament.

BUENOS AIRES — Romanian Ilie Nastase won his second straight match in the \$17,000, four-man round-robin Obras 76 tournament, beating countryman Ion Tiriac 6-3, 7-6.

PARIS — Chile's Jaime Fillol and Britain's Mark Cox advanced to the semifinals of the Paris Indoor Open. Fillol beat Tom Okker of The Netherlands 6-4, 6-3 and Cox upended American Eric van Dillen 6-4, 1-6, 6-2.

VIENNA — Victor Pecci of Paraguay upset fourth-seeded Brian Gottfried of the United States and reached the semifinals of the Grand Prix TUCSON, Ariz. — Top-seeded Vijay Amritraj of India dropped out of the opening match of the \$20,000 Tucson Tennis Classic because of a bad back while Puerto Rico's Charles Pasarell ousted local favorite Fred Stolle 4-6, 6-4, 6-4.

GOLF

SYDNEY, Australia — American Curtis Strange shot a oneunder-par 71 for the first round lead in the \$160,000 Wills Open Golf Tournament.

Hackett Wins

KALAMAZOO — The unbeaten Kalamazoo Hackett freshmen downed the Benton Harbor "Black" squad 22-6 Thursday. Junior McCarter, who gained 89 yards on nine carries, scored the lone Benton Harbor TD on a 43-yard run. Defensive standouts for Benton Harbor, now 2-3, were Eric Hartfield and Anthony Wysinger.

Vanderbush Puts Lakeshore Away

Lakeshore coach Bill Davison felt defending Patience Vanderbush would be the key to his team's chances against Buchanan Thursday night.

The Lancer girls came through with a strong defensive effort, but it still didn't stop

Vanderbush.

All the Buck standout did was score a career-high 34 points as the Bucks kept their slim Blossomland title hopes alive with a 57-46 victory.

Buchanan is now 8-2 in the league and trails River Valley

(10-0) by two games with four to play. The Mustangs took care of Dowagiac 65-38 Thursday.

In other Blossomland play, Edwardsburg ran its record to 8-2 with a 50-36 win over Brandywine and Cassopolis ripped Coloma 66-27.

Hartford Improves In Defeat

Jean Hollar keeps seeing improvement in her Hartford girls basketball team with every game.

Despite a 50-23 loss Thursday to Red Arrow leader Lake Michigan Catholic, Hollar could still find a bright spot on the horizon.

"Going from a 59-point loss margin to 27 is a big improvement for us defensively," Hollar said of the Indians, who lost an earlier game to the Lakers 73-14. "We play a pretty fair defensive game now. But we're still having trouble with our shooting, though."

In other Red Arrow action Thursday, Berrien Springs kept

its title hopes alive with a 48-31 victory over Bridgman. The Shamrocks are now 9-1 in the league with the only loss coming at the hands of the Lakers (10-0).

Eau Claire blasted Galien 38-14 and Watervliet smashed New Buffalo 56-9.

Catholic grabbed a 27-13 halftime lead and was never seriously challenged after that. But the Indians never let up.

Maureen McCrone tossed in 12 points and Shelly Schmid added 11 for the winners. Lori Shindeldecker tallied eight for Hartford (5-5).

Though no one scored in double figures, the Shamrocks still were able to pull away from Bridgman in the fourth quarter. Leading just 32-25 after three periods, Berrien outscored the Bees 16-6 in the final eight minutes to clinch the victory.

Diana Jones tossed in 10 points for Bridgman to lead all scorers. Pam Herman had nine, and Kathy Keigley and Anne Prillwitz each had eight for Berrien.

Kim Phillips had 18 points, and Renee Detwiler 12 as Watervliet evened its record at 5-5. Marie Trainor had five for New

Buffalo, now 0-10.

Kathy Rodell pumped in 12 points and Eau Claire moved into the lead in the league. The Beavers held an 18-8 halftime lead and were never threatened.

Indians Top Raider Runners

DECATUR — Hartford outran Decatur 25-30 here Wednesday in a cross country dual meet.

Nick Athens of Decatur finished first in 16:05 and Hartford's Mark Manning was second in 16:23. Both times broke the old course record at Decatur.

Rounding out the top ten, Hartford placed Dennis Frazier third, Mike Buchholz fifth, Joe Bunn seventh, Steve Buchholz eighth, and Decatur placed Steve Overly fourth, Tim Wiles sixth, Jim Sly ninth, and Bob Rice tenth.

Buchanan led just 28-26 at halftime but methodically pulled away in the second half. Marlene Peldys topped the Lancers (5-5) with 13.

River Valley outscored Dowagiac 16-1 in the second quarter and coasted to their 13th straight win.

Wendy Schwark paced the Mustangs with 19 points and 11 rebounds. Peg DeMorrow added 16 points. Ruth Simmons had 14 and Debbie Lindin had 10.

Deb Schonbok and Vicki Williams tossed in 12 apiece for the Chieftans (3-7).

Edwardsburg raced out to a 27-16 halftime lead and was never headed against Brandywine. Tammy Herremans tossed in 15 points, Margo Runkle added 12 and Sue Catto chipped in 10 for the Eddiees.

Billie Goins scored 20 points and Rochelle Ventress added 16 as Cass won for only the second time in 10 league games. Coloma fell to 0-10.

The Rangers led only 24-15 at halftime, but steadily pulled away in the second half.

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Bradford Tosses 687 Series

Wright's Wait Well Worth It



DEBBIE WRIGHT
Takes over lead



NATE BRADFORD
Just misses 700

By AL AREND
Staff Sports Writer

Debbie Wright of St. Joseph waited 10 years to bowl her first 600 series, but her wait was well worth it.

Last Thursday night, Mrs. Wright tossed a 635 (204-226-205) for Michigan Bell's team in the Sundowner league at Blossom Lanes to take over top spot on the area women's season leader board.

"I knew I only needed a 170 that third game, but when I opened the first frame I began to wonder," the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. operator recalled.

However, Mrs. Wright came back to throw a turkey in the final game which helped her toss a 205 final game. "I had a turkey in each game and just one open frame in the series,"

she said.

Mrs. Wright said she bowls twice a week, carrying a 161 average at Blossom Lanes and a 158 average at Gersonde's.

Monday night, Nate Bradford of Eau Claire, just missed rolling the first men's area 700 series this season when he tossed a 687 (247-226-214) in the Metropolitan league at Blossom Lanes. The series ranks second so far this season on the leader board.

"I got lucky," Bradford said, but his luck ran out in the 10th frame of the final game. "I had a strike up in the ninth and needed a double for 700," he recalled. "I buried the ball in the pocket in the 10th, but came away with a 10-pin tap, which I converted."

Bradford, 52, has been bowling for 35 years, but this year started bowling twice a

week again. "I really think it helped my game being able to bowl more than once a week," he said. Bradford said the 687 is his highest ever, but he's had numerous 600's in his career. "I really wanted that 700," he said. Bradford, a Whirlpool employee, averages 184 at Blossom Lanes.

Junior bowlers across the nation are busy proving that records are made to be broken, the American Junior Bowling Congress reports.

On the West Coast, 12-year-old Steve Gehrike of San Jose, Calif., clinched a new Bantam division boys series record with a 775 series. Gehrike tossed games of 249-248-278 to break the previous record by 34 pins.

Kathy Kirst, 15, San Antonio, Tex., scored a 782 series to set an all-time AJBC girls record. The 200-average bowler turned in games of 236-278-248 for the highest series ever rolled by a girl in the 29-year history of the AJBC.

The surge in record-breaking scores reflects the increasing popularity of junior bowling. During the 1975-76 season, AJBC membership reached an all-time high of 821,281 sanctioned bowlers.



LAKE TROUT BONANZA: Walter Hajec of St. Joseph holds his limit of three lake trout in front of Coast Guard station in St. Joseph Thursday while other anglers continue their favorite sport. Wednesday, lake trout, in an unusual circumstance, entered St. Joseph River, and those lucky enough to hear about it, enjoyed some fine fishing. "It was really almost unbelievable," Hajec said. "It seemed more like an old fashion perch run." It was estimated that several hundred lake trout were caught, mostly on Cleo's, Wednesday and Thursday. Lake trout normally spawn in Lake Michigan, not in its tributaries. (Staff photo)

Ryan, Scheffler Pace St. Joe Victory

Lancers Sweep

Lakeshore junior high girls scored a basketball sweep at home Thursday. The eighth grade won 27-24 with Sally Woods netting seven. Kathy Boreham had eight for Berrien. Marsha Lausman scored 18 while leading the seventh grade to a 37-19 triumph. Berrien's Kim Nelson tallied eight.

NILES — St. Joseph's girls basketball team hung on in the closing seconds to nip Niles 31-30 in a Big Seven conference game here Thursday night.

Ann Ryan and Lis Scheffler "played superb games," according to coach Rick Bloodworth. Ryan had seven points, had 14 rebounds, five steals and five assists, while Scheffler

scored her game high 10 points all during the Bears second half comeback. St. Jo trailed 20-12 at intermission.

Bloodworth said Sherri Zitta had another excellent floor game for the Bears, coming up with six steals. Sheryl Hemmingsway chipped in with seven points.

The Bears are now 8-6 overall and 7-2 in league play.

The St. Joe junior varsity girls team continued its winning ways by drubbing the Niles jayvees 49-15 for their 14th consecutive victory without a defeat. Michele Priefer outscored the entire Niles team by pumping in 17 for the junior Bears.

BOWLING LEADERS

MEN'S HIGH SERIES

Gene Dittol—496 Blossom Lanes
Nate Bradford—687 Blossom Lanes
Chuck Wells—682 Blossom Lanes
Bud Newman—475 Gersonde's
Rocky Gulliver—471 Blossom Lanes

Week's Best: Nate Bradford 687, Blossom Lanes; Harry Goodrick 669, Blossom Lanes; Paul Thewett 645, Blossom Lanes.

MEN'S HIGH GAMES

Bo Martin—299 Lakes Bowl
Paul Shibusaki—280 Blossom Lanes
Birney Vanderboegh—267 Blossom Lanes
Keith Kolbers—278 Blossom Lanes
Gene Oatis—276 Blossom Lanes

Week's Best: Paul Thewett 768, Blossom Lanes; Harry Goodrick 767, Blossom Lanes; Mike Smek 765, Blossom Lanes.

MEN'S HIGH TEAM SERIES

Corky's Plumbing—2945 W-I-O-Paw
Newman Realty—2935 Gersonde's
Glenhurst Pools—2925 Gersonde's
Metropolitan Life—2924 Blossom Lanes
Voz Five—2922 Blossom Lanes

Week's Best: Metropolitan Life 2924, W-I-O-Paw; Pooch Welding 2884, Blossom Lanes.

WOMEN'S HIGH SERIES

Debbie Wright—435 Blossom Lanes
Phyllis Cold—423 Theo's
LaVerne Kelly—422 Blossom Lanes
Col Jenkins—419 Theo's
Joan Hoase—414 (601) Blossom Lanes

Week's Best: Debbie Wright 435, Blossom Lanes; Betty Farrey 396, Lakeshore Lanes; Cleo Heth 352, Lakeshore Lanes.

WOMEN'S HIGH GAMES

Judy Davis—263 Philip's Bowl
Marilyn Krakau—245 Gersonde's
Jeannine Martin—243 Blossom Lanes
Gloves Hater—245 Blossom Lanes
Mory Mrozek—245 Theo's

Week's Best: Mory Mrozek 245, Theo's; Jeannine Arent 221, Gersonde's.

WOMEN'S HIGH TEAM SERIES

Elias Big Boys—2625 (2316) Blossom Lanes
Rudolf Drugs—2594 Theo's
Bachelor 14—2547 Blossom Lanes
Geminl Styles—2517 Blossom Lanes
Gast—2513 Theo's

Week's Best: Big Boys 2516, Blossom Lanes; Theo's 2494, Theo's Lanes; Quality Puckering 2419, Lakes Bowl.

BOWLING

Gersonde's

SI KNIGHTS—Dick Krier 570 (223), at
Arend 566, Bill Smith 556, Bob Roudie 553,
Mark Urch 553, Roger Culverhouse 540,
Rick Ott Productions 532.
COLLITY—Elmer Dobberstein 590,
George Wible 575, Rich Plangner 574
(236), Nate Arent 551, Phil Pullins 548,
Mike VanTieghem 548, Jerry Schoeler
(224), Lucky Five 2495, Plangner's (233).
UTILITY—Jim Engler 580, Jerry Slaton
574, Bob Farnon 561, Phil Ameling 557,
Tom Rouse 557, Rich Leiger 545, Evening
Rollers 557 (825).

THURSDAY NITE LADIES—Sahorn

Johnson 440, Barbara Merrill 429, Loretta
Krieger 429.

BOMBHELLS—Dorothy Gersonde 554
(201), Ruth Beland 467, Linda Krieger 461,
Fran Hoser 477 (210) Norma Schulz 470.
Salts: Marty Lehnir 2-4-10, Janet
Seaymore 5-6-10, Erna Crowford 3-7-10.

TIP—Ingrid Knowles 418, Marylee
Reybuck (170), JAM 1758 (471), Solits:
Nick Baker 3-7-10.

THURSDAY MORNING—Priscilla
Byrns 511, Dorothy Nedeu 469, Fran Flis
469.

Iris 446, Split: Marcelle Criddle 8-10.

LAKESHORE Lanes

SHORELINE BUSINESSMEN—Bob
VanArkel 472 (277), Walt Strelling 576,
Don Burch 570, John Tomancov 564, Dave
Boyd 557, Strelling Oil Co. 2543, Metal
Processors (246).

RED ARROW—Tom Schmaltz 533,
Harry Bantson 522 (222) Otto Hill Jr. 532,
Elmer Potter 522, Jack Culbertson 520,
Bob's Lounge 238 (249).

OUTTER OYSTERS—Jerry Ruff 550,

Jack McCuen 548, J. Wulke 536, George
Campbell 530 (233), Steve Thomas 528,
Charlie Cooper 510, Mike Thomas 504,
Rocky's 2340, Ziebart (230).

STARLIGHTERS—Lara Spears, 482,

Nat Stephens 461, Debbie Spears 467, Jean
Kosling 440, Dolores Boldt 438, National
Car Rental 2348 (787).

BLOSSOM Lanes

CLASSIC—Paul Thewett 645 (268), Tom
Tearman 626 (224), Don Gierke 622 (241),
Ken Voz 619, Earl Dougherty 615 (235),
Jim White 613 (255), Bill Grills 608, Terry
Waller 607, Ted Moore 605, Metropolitan
Life 2924, Pooch Welding (1034).

COUNTY—Mark Reiter 572, Ken
Coville 561, Mike Smith 557, Ron Green 552
(232), Herb Williams 539, Don Gierke 522 (241),
2504 (645), 5-7 and 5-6, Salits: Howard
Ingram Jim Bennett 2-7.

SUNSET—Sandy Soderstrom 489, Sharon
Halter 169, Darlene White 485, Krause
Pharmacy 2217 (765), Salits: Jan
deDonatus 3-7-10, Janice Briles 6-7-10.

NEW PRODUCE—Sharon West 559,
Dick Sager 566, Jerry Fraser 521, Scott
West 510, Leo Adams 506.

BIG KNIGHTS—Chuck Hartman 590,
Bob Searden 582, Bob Johnson 577, Mark
Greiner 568, Bob Hartman 561.

SUPERBOWL—Don Wecker 610, Bill
Frozier 603, Frank Smith 584, Danny Lee
558, Bill Jackson 555, Scotts Shell 2810
(957).

SUNDOWNER—Ruth Williams 539, L.
Murkey 504, H. Dougherty 483, C. Hatfield
480, D. Wright 530, Tim Boulaque 2292, Or-
rice Lounge (790), Split: B. O'Malley 5-10.

HAPPY HOUR—Joan Priefer 518,

Joan Hoase 499, Bob Choney 495, Betty
Vega 487, Carol Benney 475, Nancy
Hansen 472, Sandi Roberts 1988 (678), Split:
Bob Choney 4-10.

INDIAN HILLS—Connie Pascoe 567,
Debbie Burch 492, Carol Wolfe 488, Pat
Collison 464, Sher Willis 453, Macassina
1734 (592), Salits: Deb Burch 2-7, Donna
Decker 5-7, Judy Tolma 5-7.

CODE BLUE BELLES—Jeannette Siller
404, Zoe Noble 414, P.S. 773 (266).

THEO'S Lanes

THURSDAY NITE LADIES—Lovey
Wolink 573 (265), Shirley DeMorrow 508,
Sharon Kline 524, Bonnie Kline 522, Sandy
Webb 503, Betty Mayer 503, River Valley
Septic Service 2466 (343), Salits: Lovey
Wolink 3-7-10, Betty McGreehan 8-10.

PAW PAW Loses

PAW PAW—Three Rivers
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basketball loss Thursday night
in a Wolverine game here.
Andrea Burchard had nine
points for the losers.

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teams will be competing at
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The area 'B' teams at Wa-
terliet are Coloma, Dowagiac,
Niles-Brandywine, South
Haven, Lakeshore and River
Valley.

In Class C, Bangor, Berrien
Springs, Buchanan, Cassopolis,
Decatur, Eau Claire, Edwards-
burg, Fennville, Hartford, Paw
Paw, Lake Michigan Catholic
and Waterliet will be the
southwestern Michigan teams
competing.

Top area runners in B could
be Mark Cummins Brandy-
wine, while Catholic's Tim
Gentry, Waterliet's Tim
Lynch, Kevin Carmichael of
Berrien Springs and Edwards-
burg's Kevin Dycus and Dan
Parsons lead the area 'C'
hopefuls.

The 'C' run will start at 10:30
a.m. and the 'B' competition at
11 a.m.

The top three teams and the
top 10 individuals not on
qualifying teams will be eli-
gible to run in the state meets.
Classes A and D will be at In-
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will be at Green Valley Golf
Course in Sturgis.

TIME OUT!



"Now in the event we lose tomorrow,
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the alumni and out of the stadium."

Big Three In SAC Win Again

The big three in the SAC girls
basketball race continued to win
Thursday night.

Marcellus (9-0) blasted Law-
ton 70-15, while Gobles rolled
past Martin 60-15 and Lawrence
ripped Bloomingdale 52-19.

Gobles is now 7-2 in league
play and Lawrence stands 6-3.

A balanced scoring attack
paced Marcellus. The Wildcats
held a 27-3 halftime lead and
were never in trouble. Denise
Brown scored 13 points, Jane
Klein and Bonnie Kline had 12
apiece and Linda Ringle tallied
11 for the winners.

Sheri Lyon and Joann Van-
Gelder each tallied 10 and Jo
Aranda tossed in nine points in
Lawrence's victory. Sharon
Henderson pulled down six
rebounds for the winners.

Sue Robards poured in 21
points in Gobles' win.

Hunters Will Sight-In Guns

The annual sighting-in days at
the Berrien County Sportsman's
Club will be Sunday, Oct. 31,
and Saturday, Nov. 6, from 10
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The event, which is designed
to get hunters ready for the deer
season, costs 75 cents per gun
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nesday, Oct. 25, using an eight
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Point's fourth hole two years
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Wright's Wait Well Worth It



DEBBIE WRIGHT
Takes over lead



NATE BRADFORD
Just misses 700

By AL AREND
Staff Sports Writer

Debbie Wright of St. Joseph waited 10 years to bowl her first 600 series, but her wait was well worth it.

Last Thursday night, Mrs. Wright tossed a 635 (204-226-205) for Michigan Bell's team in the Sunflower league at Blossom Lanes to take over top spot on the area women's season leader board.

"I knew I only needed a 170 that third game, but when I opened the first frame I began to wonder," the Michigan Bell Telephone Co. operator recalled.

However, Mrs. Wright came back to throw a turkey in the final game which helped her toss a 205 final game. "I had a turkey in each game and just one open frame in the series,"

she said.

Mrs. Wright said she bowls twice a week, carrying a 161 average at Blossom Lanes and a 158 average at Gersonde's.

Monday night, Nate Bradford of Eau Claire, just missed rolling the first men's area 700 series this season when he tossed a 687 (247-226-214) in the Metropolitan league at Blossom Lanes. The series ranks second so far this season on the leader board.

"I got lucky," Bradford said, but his luck ran out in the 10th frame of the final game. "I had a strike up in the ninth and needed a double for 700," he recalled. "I buried the ball in the pocket in the 10th, but came away with a 10-pin tap, which I converted."

Bradford, 52, has been bowling for 35 years, but this year started bowling twice a

week again. "I really think it's helped my game being able to bowl more than once a week," he said. Bradford said the 687 is his highest ever, but he's had numerous 600's in his career. "I really wanted that 700," he said. Bradford, a Whirlpool employee, averages 184 at Blossom Lanes.

Junior bowlers across the nation are busy proving that records are made to be broken, the American Junior Bowling Congress reports.

On the West Coast, 12-year-old Steve Gehrke of San Jose, Calif., clinched a new Bantam division boys series record with a 775 series. Gehrke tossed games of 249-248-278 to break the previous record by 34 pins.

Kathy Kirst, 15, San Antonio, Tex., scored a 782 series to set an all-time AJBC girls record. The 200-average bowler turned in games of 236-278-248 for the highest series ever rolled by a girl in the 29-year history of the AJBC.

The surge in record-breaking scores reflects the increasing popularity of junior bowling. During the 1975-76 season, AJBC membership reached an all-time high of 821,281 sanctioned bowlers.

John Cady of Bloomingdale tied for 33rd place in the recently completed \$60,000 Buzz Fazio PBA Open at Battle Creek. Cady averaged 204.22 per game for 18 games to win \$415 in prize money.

Tom Masters, St. Joseph, rolled a 167 triplicate Tuesday night in the Twin City Kings league at Blossom Lanes.



LAKE TROUT BONANZA: Walter Hajec of St. Joseph holds his limit of three lake trout in front of Coast Guard station in St. Joseph Thursday while other anglers continue their favorite sport. Wednesday, lake trout, in an unusual circumstance, entered St. Joseph River, and those lucky enough to hear about it, enjoyed some fine fishing. "It was really almost unbelievable," Hajec said. "It seemed more like an old fashion perch run." It was estimated that several hundred lake trout were caught, mostly on Cleo's, Wednesday and Thursday. Lake trout normally spawn in Lake Michigan, not in its tributaries. (Staff photo)

BOWLING LEADERS

MEN'S HIGH SERIES	
Gene Oman—698	Blossom Lanes
Nate Bradford—687	Blossom Lanes
Chuck Wells—682	Blossom Lanes
Bud Mumma—675	Gersonde's
Rocky Gulliver—671	Blossom Lanes
Week's Best: Nate Bradford 687, Blossom Lanes; Harry Gnodke 669, Blossom Lanes; Paul Thweatt 665, Blossom Lanes.	
MEN'S HIGH GAMES	
Bo Martin—289	Lakes Bowl
Paul Shubert—285	Blossom Lanes
Barney Vanderbeegh—287	Blossom Lanes
Keith Kolberg—278	Blossom Lanes
Gene Oman—276	Blossom Lanes
Week's Best: Paul Thweatt 268, Blossom Lanes; Harry Gnodke 267, Blossom Lanes; Mike Simcek 263, Blossom Lanes.	
MEN'S HIGH TEAM SERIES	
Corby's Plumbing—2945	Will-O-Paw
Newman Realty—2925	Gersonde's
Glamours Pools—2925	Gersonde's
Metropolitan Life—2924	Blossom Lanes
Vaz's Five—2922	Blossom Lanes
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GERSONDE'S	
SJ KNIGHTS—Dick Kober 570 (232), Al Arend 566, Bill Smith 556, Bob Roade 553, Mark Urich 553, Roger Culverhouse 540, Rick Ott Productions 521.	
COUNTY—Elmer Dobberstein 590, George Wible 575, Rich Plangger 574 (236), Nate Arend 551, Phil Pullins 548, Mike VanTugem 548, Jerry Schofer (234), Lucky Five 2495, Plangger's (933).	
UTILITY—Jim Engler 580, Jerry Slott 574, Bob Raman 561, Phil Ameling 557, Tom Rauls 557, Rich Leider 543, Evening Rocks 2557 (882).	
THURSDAY NITE LADIES—Sahorn Johnson 440, Barbara Merrill 429, Loretta Krieger 429.	
BOMBHELLS—Dorothy Gersonde 554 (201), Ruth Beland 487, Linda Krieger 481, Fran Hasse 477 (210), Norma Schultz 470, Spits: Marty LaBar 2-4-10, Janet Seymour 5-6-10, Erna Crawford 3-7-10.	
TFP—Imelda Knowles 418, Marylee Revulsh (170), JAW 1158 (471), Spits: Nicky Baker 5-7-10.	
THURSDAY MORNING—Priscilla Byrns 511, Dorothy Neteu 469, Fran Ellis-trip 446, Spits: Harriet Cridde 8-10.	

LAKESHORE LANES	
SHORELINE BUSINESSMEN—Bob VanArkel 612 (257), Walt Streffling 576, Don Burch 570, John Tomack 564, Dave Boyd 552, Streffling Oil Co. 2563, Metal Processors 2440.	
RED ARROW—Tom Schmalz 533, Harry Burleson 532 (222), Otto Hill Jr. 532, Elmer Patzer 522, Jack Culbertson 520.	
GUTTER DUSTERS—Jerry Ruff 550, Jack McCuen 548, J. Wutzke 536, George Campbell 530 (233), Steve Thomas 528, Charlie Caper 510, Mike Thomas 504, Rex's 2340, Ziebart (830).	
STABLIGHTERS—Lara Spears, 482, Nat Stephens 461, Debbie Spears 447, Jean Kaeding 440, Dolores Boldt 438, National Car Rental 2248 (787).	
BLOSSOM LANES	
CLASSIC—Paul Thweatt 665 (268), Tom Tessman 626 (226), Don Gervsey 615 (225), Ken Vaz 619, Earl Daugherty 615 (225), Jim White 613 (255), Bill Griffiths 608, Terry Hater 607, Ted Moore 605, Metropolitan Life 2924, Pooch Welding (1034).	
COUNTY—Mark Sletur 572, Ken Gavin 561, Mike Walsh 557, Ron Green 552 (232), Herb Williams 539, Heavyl Rollers 2504 (845), 5-7 and 5-6, Spits: Howard McDonald 3-7-10, Janice Biese 6-7-10.	
NEW PRODUCTS—Sherr West 529, Dick Saper 526, Jerry Freier 521, Scott West 510, Len Adams 506.	
BH KNIGHTS—Chuck Hartman 590, Bob Bearden 585, Johnson 577, Nard Cramer 568, Bob Hartman 561.	
SUPREME—Don Wecker 610, Bill Prieter 600, Frank Smith 584, Dennis Lee 558, Bill Jackson 555, Scotts Shell 2810 (957).	
SUNDOWNER—Ruth Williams 539, L. Murkey 504, H. Daugherty 483, C. Heffield 480, D. Wright 530, Yiki Bouhque 2293, Office Lounge (790), Spits: B. O. Malley 5-10.	
HAPPY HOUR—Joan Priester 518, Joan Haase 499, Barb Chaney 495, Betty Vega 487, Carol Benney 475, Nancy Hansen 472, Sand Rabbits 1888 (678), Spits: Barb Chaney 4-10.	
INDIAN HILLS—Connie Pascoe 507, Debbie Burch 492, Carol Nolte 488, Pat Collins 484, Sheri Wallis 463, Maccassins 1734 (592), Spits: Deb Burch 2-7, Donna Decker 5-7, Judy Tolma 5-7.	
CODE BLUE BELLES—Jeanette Siler 464, Zoe Noble 414, P. S. 773 (266).	

Regional Runs On Saturday

Cross country teams across the state will start their run toward the state championships this Saturday in regional meets.

Watervliet will host the only regional in southwestern Michigan, with both Class B and C competing at the Panthers' three-mile layout.

The area Class A and D teams will be competing at Battle Creek's Binder Park Golf Course.

The area 'B' teams at Watervliet are Coloma, Dowagiac, Niles-Brandywine, South Haven, Lakeshore and River Valley.

In Class C, Bangor, Berrien Springs, Buchanan, Cassopolis, Decatur, Eau Claire, Edwardsburg, Fennville, Hartford, Paw Paw, Lake Michigan Catholic and Watervliet will be the southwestern Michigan teams competing.

Top area runners in B could be Mark Cummins Brandywine, while Catholic's Tim Gentry, Watervliet's Tim Lynch, Kevin Carmichael of Berrien Springs and Edwardsburg's Kevin Dycus and Dan Parsons lead the area 'C' hopefuls.

The 'C' run will start at 10:30 a.m. and the 'B' competition at 11 a.m.

The top three teams and the top 10 individuals not on qualifying teams will be eligible to run in the state meets. Classes A and D will be at Indian Trails Golf Course in Grand Rapids while B and C will be at Green Valley Golf Course in Sturgis.

TIME OUT!



Now in the event we lose tomorrow, here's the play that'll get me out of the stadium.

Laker JVs Top Rocks

BERRIEN SPRINGS — Tailback Bruce Blakeman ran for 111 yards and one touchdown Thursday night here as Lake Michigan Catholic's junior varsity football team tripped Berrien Springs 24-14.

The win was the seventh straight for the Lakers after a season-opening loss. Berrien fell to 3-3-1.

Blakeman scored what proved to be the winning TD in the third quarter on a 75-yard run. He also ran for a pair of two-point conversions in the first half.

John Masini's 20-yard TD run and a 20-yard scoring pass from Mark Kasmer to Randy Rish helped the Lakers to a 16-0 halftime margin.

Berrien came back on a 27-yard TD run by Roger Clayton and a one-yard scoring jaunt by Charles Lawshea.

Big Three In SAC Win Again

The big three in the SAC girls basketball race continued to win Thursday night.

Marcellus (9-0) blasted Lawton 70-15, while Gobles rolled past Martin 60-15 and Lawrence ripped Bloomingdale 52-19.

Gobles is now 7-2 in league play and Lawrence stands 6-3.

A balanced scoring attack paced Marcellus. The Wildcats held a 27-3 halftime lead and were never in trouble. Denise Brown scored 13 points, Jane Klein and Bonnie Kline had 12 apiece and Linda Ringle totalled 11 for the winners.

Sheri Lyon and Joann Vangalder each tallied 10 and Jo Aranda tossed in nine points in Lawrence's victory. Sharon Henderson pulled down six rebounds for the winners.

Sue Robards poured in 21 points in Gobles' win.

Hunters Will Sight-In Guns

The annual sighting-in days at the Berrien County Sportsman's Club will be Sunday, Oct. 31, and Saturday, Nov. 6, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The event, which is designed to get hunters ready for the deer season, costs 75 cents per gun and covers targets, spotting scopes and assistance from Sportsman's Club members. Shooters must furnish their own ammunition.

Sportsmen will have a chance to sight-in rifles from 25, 50 and 100 yards.

Paw Paw Loses

PAW PAW — Three Rivers handed Paw Paw a 41-18 girls basketball loss Thursday night in a Wolverine game here. Andrea Burchard had nine points for the losers.

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While the Gophers host Duluth, other WCHA games this weekend have Michigan Tech at Colorado College, Denver at North Dakota and Michigan State at Notre Dame.

The conference season has had a brief start with Michigan at 2-2, and Michigan Tech and Wisconsin at 1-1.

Although Minnesota is youthful, it has been tabbed by WCHA coaches as favorite to finish atop the standings.

The sixth annual WCHA poll conducted by the Grand Forks (N.D.) Herald had Minnesota with four first place votes and 80 points followed closely by Wisconsin with four first place votes and 75 points. Michigan Tech also got a first place vote as did Michigan.

Following Minnesota and Wisconsin, the WCHA coaches

see it this way: Michigan Tech, Michigan, Notre Dame, North Dakota, Denver, Michigan State, Colorado College and Minnesota-Duluth.

Brooks plays down the No. 1 rating.

"They just take the defending champion and make it No. 1," he said. "It puts a little pressure on the team."

Although Minnesota has been put on indefinite probation by the NCAA which would disallow post season tournament play,

Brooks said it has had little effect on his team.

"We're low-keying it," he said. "I have mentioned to the club there is no sense worrying about it. If we lose it in court, then it would be a traumatic thing. Until that happens, we have to keep going like nothing happened."

The university is seeking to obtain a restraining order to prevent enforcement of the probationary status.

The only threat at Wisconsin

is the threat the Badgers hold for opposing hockey teams.

Coach Bob Johnson did not lose a player from last season's squad and also gained a pair, John Taft and Steve Alley are back in the Badger camp after a year with the U.S. Olympic team.

League coaches are looking for experience to lift Wisconsin from its cellar-dwelling role of a year ago.

Michigan Tech, which split with Michigan last weekend, is

working on building strength behind the blue line.

"We must play better defensively and have strong goaltending in order to have a chance for first division," said Coach John MacInnes. But he adds: "John Rockwell and Bruce Horsch could be the top goaltending pair in the WCHA."

In its first game, Stu Younger knocked in three goals for Tech. Also back is the defensive duo of Ed Dempsey and Nels Goddard along with center Stu Ostlund, who had 34 goals last season.

Michigan lost some good players in graduation, including goalie Robbie Moore and Anzie Moretto. But back is Dave DeBel who rattled the nets for 36 goals and added 22 assists last campaign.

Alex Pirus is playing for the Minnesota North Stars in the National Hockey League this year instead of the Notre Dame Fighting Irish. He'll be missed by Coach Lefty Smith. But Smith says he expects some fine goaltending work from John Peterson and Len Mohr.

Eratic North Dakota also appears to have strong goaltending with Bill Stakoven. Six freshmen will join 14 veterans on the ice for the Sioux.

At Denver, Coach Murray Armstrong holds out hope. "We hope to be better than last year," he said.

Michigan State lost 175 goals when Tom Ross, Steve Colp, Daryl Rice and Brendon Moroney graduated. That is a lot of firepower.

Top goalie Eddie Min is gone from Colorado College this season.

Minnesota-Duluth will be relying on young players. Coach Gus Hendrickson says he could have as many as a dozen freshmen playing.

McGee Wants Another Trophy For New Home

PENSACOLA, Fla. (AP) — Jerry McGee is building a new home in Ohio, which should be ready for occupancy in a couple of weeks.

"It's got a trophy room in it,"

McGee said, and grinned. "And I've only got one trophy. It sure would be nice to get another one."

He took a step in that direction with a four-under-par 67

that gave McGee a share of the first-round lead Thursday in the \$125,000 Pensacola Open Golf Tournament, the event that last year provided him with the only trophy he now owns.

"After playing out here on the tour as long as I have, I didn't think it would happen, but I was really nervous on the first tee," McGee said. "I've never been a defending champion before."

"There's a lot of pride out here on this tour we play. I really wanted to play well. It was awfully important to me. I didn't putt particularly well, but I played that last nine about as well as I can play."

"And I will play well the rest of the way. If I can get that putter rolling a little. I will be in the hunt."

McGee, who missed only one green and didn't have a five on his card, played his back nine in 32 — and had to do it to hold off the afternoon challenges of Tommy Aaron, John Seblie and Bob Murphy, who matched McGee's effort on the 6,549-yard Pensacola Country Club course and took a share of the top spot.

Tom Weiskopf, former champion Lee Elder, Grier Jones, Bob E. Snith and Mark Hayes were just one stroke back at 68.

U.S. Open champion Jerry Pate, playing before his hometown friends and neighbors, could do no better than a 75. "I just didn't have my mind on my game," he said.

Career Clips

Former Buchanan standout Willie Brown started for Ferris State College last Saturday against Northwood Institute. Brown gained the starting berth after rushing for 51 yards in 14 carries the week before against Hillsdale. In the Northwood contest, Brown toted the ball just four times for 14 yards.

Western Michigan cross country runner Steve Bunn, a junior from Hartford, finished 26th at the United States Track & Field Federation National Championships last Saturday at Madison, Wis. The Broncos were third in the team standings.

Senior tight end Dennis Dilley of St. Joseph turned in a blocking grade of 78 per cent, his best mark of the season, while helping Western Michigan down Marshall 31-21 last Saturday. The 6-3, 219-pounder now has a season blocking grade of 70 per cent. He has also caught four passes for 85 yards and two touchdowns.

Former River Valley high school standout Bob North started at quarterback for Michigan Tech against Southwest State last Saturday and led the Huskies to a 61-7 victory. The sophomore rushed for 87 yards in 12 carries and hit on two of four passes for 66 yards, including a 66-yard TD toss.

Players' President Says Garvey Wants Too Much

BALTIMORE (AP) — Dick Anderson, president of the National Football League Players Association, has split publicly with executive director Ed Garvey in a personal letter to player representatives of the 26 NFL teams.

"I really believe that we will never be able to achieve an agreement with the owners that would be acceptable to Ed Garvey," Anderson wrote. "He

wants too many things from them that they will never give up."

The Associated Press obtained a copy of the letter, which Anderson suggested he made available to all members of the NFLPA if Garvey failed to honor a request and publish its contents in the Checkoff, a NFLPA publication.

It is understood that Anderson's letter, dated Oct. 14,

already has been posted in the locker rooms of several NFL clubs.

In challenging Garvey, a move which could lead to a struggle for control, Anderson acknowledged there was a split in the ranks on how to deal with the owners.

But he refuted accusations that he had sold out the players to the owners while working out an agreement with Dan Rooney, president of the Pittsburgh Steelers and management's representative in the talks.

Anderson said in signing the memorandum of understanding with Rooney, which was not binding on the association, he was merely trying to gain benefits for the players and to help create more jobs.

While conceding he may have been hasty in calling a Board of Representatives meeting on Aug. 31, before certain legalities were settled, Anderson said "squad size was very important at the time."

The tentative agreement called for a player limit of 48 plus a taxi squad of four players. But after that was tabled, the squad limit for the 1976 season was set at a flat 43.

Howes May Move

HOUSTON (AP) — The chairman of the board of the Houston Aeros says his World Hockey Association team could not only survive but win without the Howes.

George Bolin made the comment Thursday in response to a Hamilton, Ont., newspaper story that said one or two or possibly all three Howes may be returning to the National Hockey League next year.

The Hamilton Spectator quoted Coleen Howe as saying her husband Gordie and sons Marty and Mark become free agents at the end of the 1976-77 WHA season.

She said in an interview with the newspaper while in Buffalo, N.Y., that Gordie planned to move "into general business as well as hockey" and that she has discussed Mark's career with the Toronto Maple Leafs and the Washington Capitals of the NHL.

Mrs. Howe, who acts as business agent for the Howes in their hockey contract negotiations as well as business enterprises, reportedly also talked with Harry Sinden, general manager of the Boston Bruins who hold Mark's NHL rights.

"The Houston Aeros have bargained in good faith throughout," Bolin said. "We will continue to bargain in good faith. This, however, does not mean we are willing to turn over our franchise in order to keep the Howes."

Gridiron Girdles

STILLWATER, Okla. (AP) — The girdle ads that promise to prevent midriff bulge, give eye-catching figures and smooth you into a woman's natural shape are quite familiar.

Four girdle-enthusiasts in Stillwater don't squeeze into the woman's undergarments for any of those reasons.

The four are members of the Oklahoma State University football team.

Daily Oklahoman sports columnist Bob Hurt disclosed in a column for Thursday's editions that Terry Miller, Oklahoma State's hard-running halfback, wears a Playtex long leg panty girdle.

No, Miller doesn't wear the garment for television commercials, like Joe Namath and his panty hose. He wears it in practices and in games, and says it helps prevent injuries.

The girdle guards against hamstrings by keeping Miller's muscles from knotting, applying equal pressure and support to all his muscles from the kneecaps to the waist.

Trainer Jeff Fair buys the girdles — the extra large size — at a department store.

"We had a few snickers when they first put them on, but the whole idea was to give even support," said Fair. "You can do it better with the girdle than in wrapping the leg."

The Cowboys entertain eight-ranked Missouri Saturday, but it is unlikely any Tigers snickers will be directed at Miller.

The reason is that in the last two games Miller, an all-Big Eight Conference selection as a sophomore, has rushed for 137 and 159 yards. The 159 yards helped the Cowboys upset Oklahoma 31-24 last week.

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While the Gophers host Duluth, other WCHA games this weekend have Michigan Tech at Colorado College, Denver at North Dakota and Michigan State at Notre Dame.

The conference season has had a brief start with Michigan at 2-2, and Michigan Tech and Wisconsin at 1-1.

Although Minnesota is youthful, it has been tabbed by WCHA coaches as favorite to finish atop the standings.

The sixth annual WCHA poll conducted by the Grand Forks (N.D.) Herald had Minnesota with four first place votes and 80 points followed closely by Wisconsin with four first place votes and 75 points. Michigan Tech also got a first place vote as did Michigan.

Following Minnesota and Wisconsin, the WCHA coaches

see it this way: Michigan Tech, Michigan, Notre Dame, North Dakota, Denver, Michigan State, Colorado College and Minnesota-Duluth.

Brooks plays down the No. 1 rating.

"They just take the defending champion and make it No. 1," he said. "It puts a little pressure on the team."

Although Minnesota has been put on indefinite probation by the NCAA which would disallow post season tournament play,

Brooks said it has had little effect on his team.

"We're low-keying it," he said. "I have mentioned to the club there is no sense worrying about it. If we lose it in court, then it would be a traumatic thing. Until that happens, we have to keep going like nothing happened."

The university is seeking to obtain a restraining order to prevent enforcement of the probationary status.

The only threat at Wisconsin

is the threat the Badgers hold for opposing hockey teams. Coach Bob Johnson did not lose a player from last season's squad and also gained a pair. John Taft and Steve Alley are back in the Badger camp after a year with the U.S. Olympic team.

League coaches are looking for experience to lift Wisconsin from its cellar-dwelling role of a year ago.

Michigan Tech, which split with Michigan last weekend, is

working on building strength behind the blue line.

"We must play better defensively and have strong goaltending in order to have a chance for first division," said Coach John MacInnes. But he adds: "John Rockwell and Bruce Horsch could be the top goaltending pair in the WCHA."

In its first game, Stu Wong knocked in three goals for Tech. Also back is the defensive duo of Ed Dempsey and Nels Goddard along with center Stu Ostlund, who had 34 goals last season.

Michigan lost some good players in graduation, including goalie Robbie Moore and Angie Moretto. But back is Dave DeBol who rattled the nets for 36 goals and added 22 assists last campaign.

Alex Pirus is playing for the Minnesota North Stars in the National Hockey League this year instead of the Notre Dame Fighting Irish. He'll be missed by Coach Lefty Smith. But Smith says he expects some fine goaltending work from John Peterson and Len Moher.

Eratic North Dakota also appears to have strong goaltending with Bill Stakoven. Six freshmen will join 14 veterans on the ice for the Sioux.

At Denver, Coach Murray Armstrong holds out hope. "We hope to be better than last year," he said.

Michigan State lost 175 goals when Tom Ross, Steve Colp, Daryl Rice and Brendon Moroney graduated. That is a lot of firepower.

Top goalie Eddie Mio is gone from Colorado College this season.

Minnesota-Duluth will be relying on young players. Coach Gus Hendrickson says he could have as many as a dozen freshmen playing.

McGee Wants Another Trophy For New Home

PENSACOLA, Fla. (AP) — Jerry McGee is building a new home in Ohio, which should be ready for occupancy in a couple of weeks.

"It's got a trophy room in it,"

McGee said, and grinned. "And I've only got one trophy. It sure would be nice to get another one."

He took a step in that direction with a four-under-par 67

that gave McGee a share of the first-round lead Thursday in the \$125,000 Pensacola Open Golf Tournament, the event that last year provided him with the only trophy he now owns.

"After playing out here on the tour as long as I have, I didn't think it would happen, but I was really nervous on the first tee," McGee said. "I've never been a defending champion before."

"There's a lot of pride out here on this tour we play. I really wanted to play well. It was awfully important to me. I didn't putt particularly well, but I played that last nine about as well as I can play."

"And I will play well the rest of the way. If I can get that putter rolling a little, I will be in the hunt."

McGee, who missed one on green and didn't have a five on his card, played his back nine in 32 — and had to do it to hold off the afternoon challenges of Tommy Aaron, John Schlee and Bob Murphy, who matched McGee's effort on the 6,549-yard Pensacola Country Club course and took a share of the top spot.

Tom Weiskopf, former champion Lee Elder, Grier Jones, Bob E. Smith and Mark Hayes were just one stroke back at 68.

U.S. Open champion Jerry Pate, playing before his hometown friends and neighbors, could do no better than a 75. "I just didn't have my mind on my game," he said.

Career Clips

Former Buchanan standout Willie Brown started for Ferris State College last Saturday against Northwood Institute. Brown gained the starting berth after rushing for 53 yards in 14 carries the week before against Hillsdale. In the Northwood contest, Brown toted the ball just four times for 14 yards.

Western Michigan cross country runner Steve Bunn, a junior from Hartford, finished 26th at the United States Track & Field Federation National Championships last Saturday at Madison, Wis. The Broncos were third in the team standings.

Senior tight end Dennis Dilley of St. Joseph turned in a blocking grade of 78 per cent, his best mark of the season, while helping Western Michigan down Marshall 31-21 last Saturday. The 6-3, 219-pounder now has a season blocking grade of 70 per cent. He has also caught four passes for 85 yards and two touchdowns.

Former River Valley high school standout Bob North started at quarterback for Michigan Tech against Southwest State last Saturday and led the Huskies to a 64-7 victory. The sophomore rushed for 87 yards in 12 carries and hit on two of four passes for 66 yards, including a 66-yard TD toss.

Players' President Says Garvey Wants Too Much

BALTIMORE (AP) — Dick Anderson, president of the National Football League Players Association, has split publicly with executive director Ed Garvey in a personal letter to player representatives of the 26 NFL teams.

"I really believe that we will never be able to achieve an agreement with the owners that would be acceptable to Ed Garvey," Anderson wrote. "He

wants too many things from them that they will never give up."

The Associated Press obtained a copy of the letter, which Anderson suggested be made available to all members of the NFLPA if Garvey failed to honor a request and publish its contents in the Checkoff, a NFLPA publication.

It is understood that Anderson's letter, dated Oct. 14,

already has been posted in the locker rooms of several NFL clubs.

In challenging Garvey, a move which could lead to a struggle for control, Anderson acknowledged there was a split in the ranks on how to deal with the owners.

But he refuted accusations that he had sold out the players to the owners while working out an agreement with Dan Rooney, president of the Pittsburgh Steelers and management's representative in the talks.

Anderson said in signing the memorandum of understanding with Rooney, which was not binding on the association, he was merely trying to gain benefits for the players and to help create more jobs.

While conceding he may have been hasty in calling a Board of Representatives meeting on Aug. 31, before certain legalities were settled, Anderson said "squad size was very important at the time."

The tentative agreement called for a player limit of 43 plus a taxi squad of four players. But after that was tabled, the squad limit for the 1976 season was set at a flat 43.

Howes May Move

HOUSTON (AP) — The chairman of the board of the Houston Aeros says his World Hockey Association team could not only survive but win without the Howes.

George Bolin made the comment Thursday in response to a Hamilton, Ont., newspaper that said one or two or possibly all three Howes may be returning to the National Hockey League next year.

The Hamilton Spectator quoted Coleen Howe as saying her husband Gordie and sons Marty and Mark become free agents at the end of the 1976-77 WHA season.

She said in an interview with the newspaper while in Buffalo, N.Y., that Gordie planned to move "into general business as well as hockey" and that she has discussed Mark's career with the Toronto Maple Leafs and the Washington Capitals of the NHL.

Mrs. Howe, who acts as business agent for the Howes in their hockey contract negotiations as well as business enterprises, reportedly also talked with Harry Sinden, general manager of the Boston Bruins who hold Mark's NHL rights.

"The Houston Aeros have bargained in good faith throughout," Bolin said. "We will continue to bargain in good faith. This, however, does not mean we are willing to turn over our franchise in order to keep the Howes."

Gridiron Girdles

STILLWATER, Okla. (AP) — The girdle ads that promise to prevent midriff bulge, give eye-catching figures and smooth you into a woman's natural shape are quite familiar.

Four girdle-enthusiasts in Stillwater don't squeeze into the woman's undergarments for any of those reasons.

The four are members of the Oklahoma State University football team.

Daily Oklahoman sports columnist Bob Hurt disclosed in a column for Thursday's editions that Terry Miller, Oklahoma State's hard-running halfback, wears a Playtex long leg panty girdle.

No, Miller doesn't wear the garment for television commercials, like Joe Namath and his panty hose. He wears it in practices and in games, and says it helps prevent injuries.

The girdle guards against hamstrings by keeping Miller's muscles from knotting, applying equal pressure and support to all his muscles from the kneecaps to the waist.

Trainer Jeff Fair wore the girdles — the extra large size — at a department store.

"We had a few snickers when they first put them on, but the whole idea was to give even support," said Fair. "You can do it better with the girdle than in wrapping the leg."

The Cowboys entertain eight-ranked Missouri Saturday, but it is unlikely any Tigers snickers will be directed at Miller.

The reason is that in the last two games Miller, an all-Big Eight conference selection as a sophomore, has rushed for 137 and 159 yards. The 159 yards helped the Cowboys upset Oklahoma 31-24 last week.

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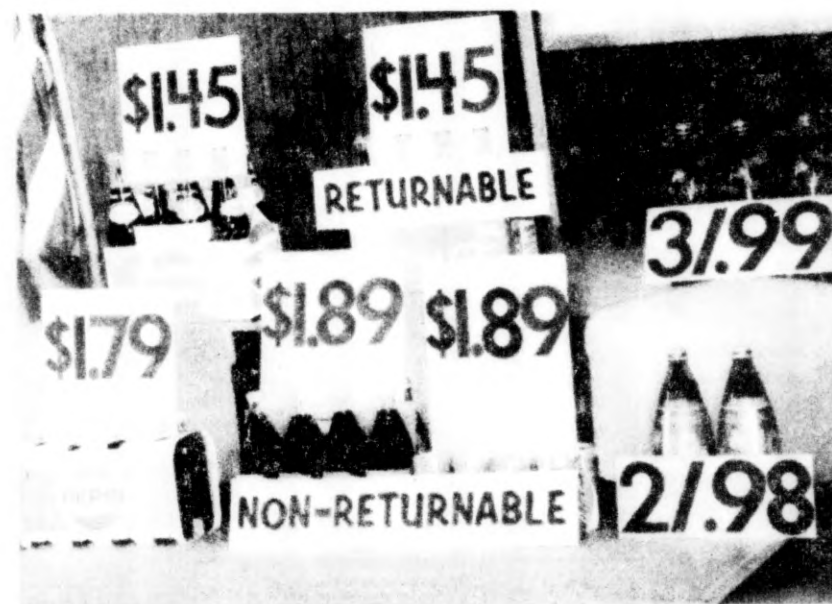
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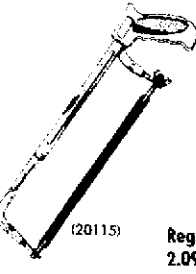
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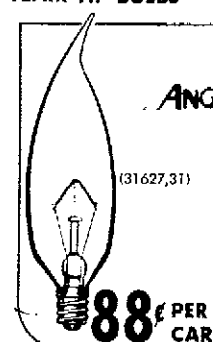
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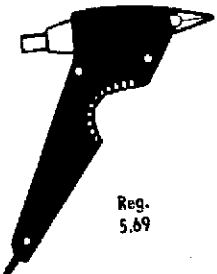
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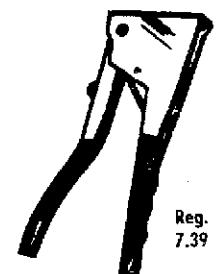
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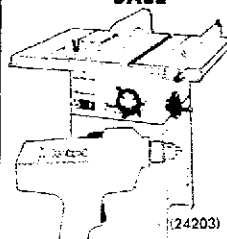
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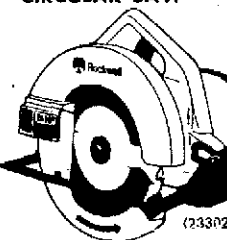
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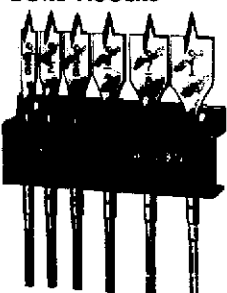


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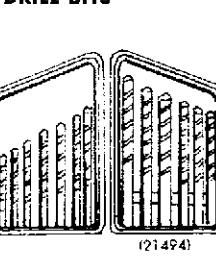


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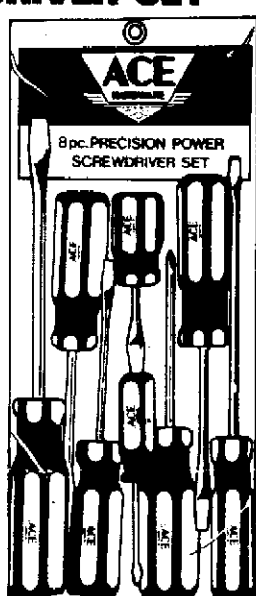
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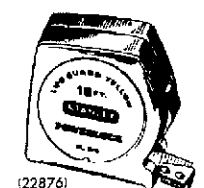
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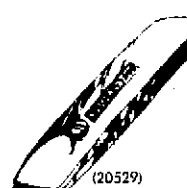


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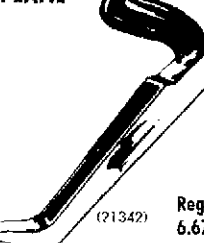


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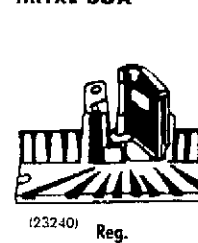


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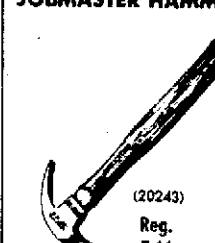


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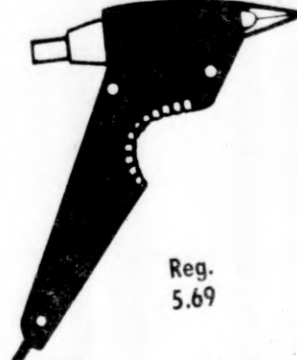
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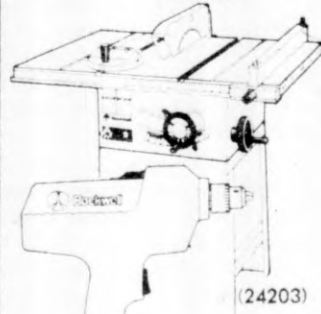
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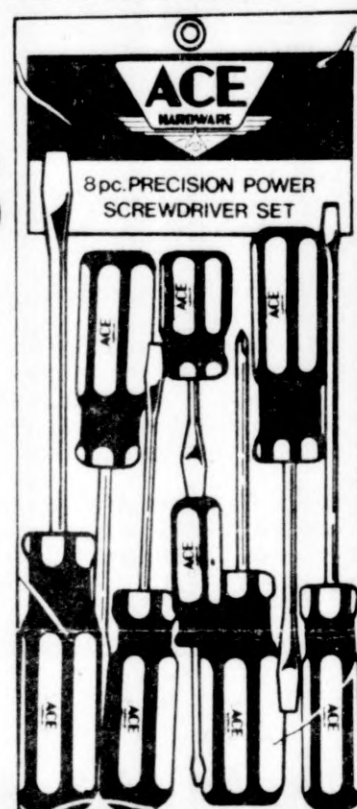
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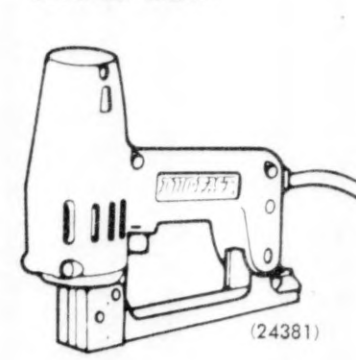


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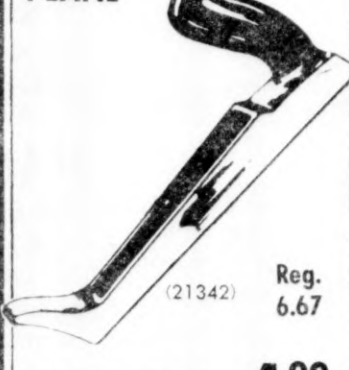


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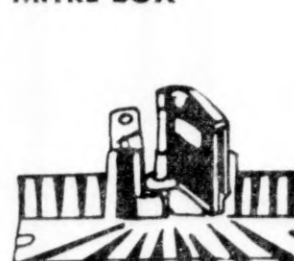


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HONEYMOONING AGAIN: DeKalb county, Ga., police officers Robert and Lois Stevens Jr. were back on Bourbon street in the French Quarter Thursday honeymooning again. They were married Monday in Atlanta and Tuesday night they returned to duty long enough in New Orleans to chase and apprehend two men following an attempted murder-robbery on the street. He's a detective and she's an investigator. (AP Wirephoto)

INDUSTRY FIGHTING TOUGH PROPOSALS

Nuclear Power On Block In Six States

By STAN BENJAMIN
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Although overshadowed by presidential and congressional elections, the Nov. 2 balloting will also determine the future of nuclear power in six states.

The nuclear power industry beat back an antinuclear initiative in a California referendum last June, only to see six more spring up on the ballots of Arizona, Colorado, Washington, Oregon, Montana and Ohio.

The passage of any one of them on Nov. 2 would be a grave setback to the nuclear industry, already beset by construction delays and rising costs.

All six ballot proposals are essentially similar, requiring guarantees of safety and full accident-compensation.

affirmed by both houses of a state's legislature, before that state can permit a nuclear power plant or related facility.

Environment groups and other supporters say such guarantees are justified by the alleged hazards of nuclear power.

The nuclear and electric utility industries say the

proposed guarantees are so tough they would actually ban further nuclear power in any state adopting them, leading to electricity shortages.

Opponents of the initiatives are pouring millions of dollars into campaigns against the proposals, outspending the antinuclear forces many times over.

In Ohio alone, utility-backed foes of the antinuclear initiative have a \$1 million budget, 25 times the budget of its supporters, a coalition of seven consumer groups.

The pattern appears similar in the other states, but the ballot proposals seem to stand a better chance of passage, here and there, than the dollar-power alone might indicate.

In Washington, public opinion polls have indicated a strong chance of passing the antinuclear measure; observers in Oregon believe the measure has an even chance or better, while polls indicate a close vote.

In Montana, without benefit of opinion polls, both sides were predicting a close contest.

In Colorado, a poll published earlier this month by the Denver Post showed that 55 per cent of those polled appeared to favor the antinuclear measure, 25 per cent were against and 20 per cent were undecided.

In Ohio, both sides claimed favorable polls but the measure is opposed by a broad range of interest groups.

An independent poll in Arizona recently pointed to failure of the initiative in November.

All six ballot initiatives would require that nuclear facilities be proven safe by prior equipment testing before they may be built or operated within the state.

All six would also require

proof that nuclear materials will be safely stored and handled, before facilities can be authorized.

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HONEYMOONING AGAIN: DeKalb county, Ga., police officers Robert and Lois Stevens Jr. were back on Bourbon street in the French Quarter Thursday honeymooning again. They were married Monday in Atlanta and Tuesday night they returned to duty long enough in New Orleans to chase and apprehend two men following an attempted murder-robbery on the street. He's a detective and she's an investigator. (AP Wirephoto)

INDUSTRY FIGHTING TOUGH PROPOSALS

Nuclear Power On Block In Six States

By STAN BENJAMIN
Associated Press Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) — Although overshadowed by presidential and congressional elections, the Nov. 2 balloting will also determine the future of nuclear power in six states.

The nuclear power industry beat back an antinuclear initiative in a California referendum last June, only to see six more spring up on the ballots of Arizona, Colorado, Washington, Oregon, Montana and Ohio.

The passage of any one of them on Nov. 2 would be a grave setback to the nuclear industry, already beset by construction delays and rising costs.

All six ballot proposals are essentially similar, requiring guarantees of safety and full accident-compensation, affirmed by both houses of a state's legislature, before that state can permit a nuclear power plant or related facility.

Environment groups and other supporters say such guarantees are justified by the alleged hazards of nuclear power.

The nuclear and electric utility industries say the

proposed guarantees are so tough they would actually ban further nuclear power in any state adopting them, leading to electricity shortages.

Opponents of the initiatives are pouring millions of dollars into campaigns against the proposals, outspending the antinuclear forces many times over.

In Ohio alone, utility-backed foes of the antinuclear initiative have a \$1 million budget, 25 times the budget of its supporters, a coalition of seven consumer groups.

The pattern appears similar in the other states, but the ballot proposals seem to stand a better chance of passage, here and there, than the dollar-power alone might indicate.

In Washington, public opinion polls have indicated a strong chance of passing the antinuclear measure; observers in Oregon believe the measure has an even chance or better, while polls indicate a close vote.

In Montana, without benefit of opinion polls, both sides were predicting a close contest.

In Colorado, a poll published earlier this month by the Denver Post showed that 55 per cent of those polled appeared to favor the antinuclear measure, 25 per cent were against and 20 per cent were undecided.

In Ohio, both sides claimed favorable polls but the measure is opposed by a broad range of interest groups.

An independent poll in Arizona recently pointed to failure of the initiative in November.

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Carter's Georgia Lead Eroding

By DICK PETTYS
Associated Press Writer
ATLANTA (AP) — Jimmy Carter seems certain to pull his home state back into the Democratic presidential column for the first time in 12 years, but not with the landslide he built to win the Georgia Democratic primary seven months ago.

"I don't think there is any question that Gov. Carter will carry his home state in the November general election," says Gov. George Busbee, who succeeded Carter two years ago as Georgia's chief executive.

"However, I do not believe he will carry the state as handily as he did in the May 4 primary. The polls show that President Ford is making inroads in the South and it would be foolhardy for Gov. Carter to take the South for granted," Busbee added.

Carter collected 84 per cent of the 480,000 Democratic votes cast in the state's first presidential primary in modern times.

That was last May. A regional poll released during October said Carter's popularity in the Deep South took a 10-point dive during September — a month which included the famous Playboy interview and the first presidential debate, but not the second or third debates.

And, in the meantime, Georgia Republicans have reunited behind Ford after casting nearly 70 per cent of their primary votes for former

California Gov. Ronald Reagan. The state has not backed a Democratic presidential candidate since John F. Kennedy in 1960. In 1964, Barry Goldwater carried the state; in 1968, George C. Wallace; in 1972, Richard M. Nixon.

Yet it is a state of deep Democratic traditions reaching back to the aftermath of Reconstruction. Every major state official and most local officials are Democrats.

'Piecemeal' Bill Vetoed

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — Gov. William Milliken has cast his expected veto of what he calls a "piecemeal" campaign reform bill and urged legislators to come up with a better approach. The bill, vetoed Thursday, would have provided partial public financing of gubernatorial campaigns. Milliken had promised to veto it unless a related measure was changed. "It is a sham and a travesty to institute public financing without assuring adequate public disclosure," Milliken said. "There is still time in the current session to adopt open, comprehensive and responsible political reform legislation." The principal sponsor of the bill, Rep. John F. Markes, D-Livonia, said the veto shows the governor has no real interest in political reform.

The poll conducted by Darden Research Corp. among 600 voters in the South showed that Carter's lead over Ford dropped from 21.7 per cent in September to 11 per cent in October, with Ford making gains among Democrats and Independents. Darden showed Carter with a 49.5-38.5 over Ford in October compared to a 53.5-31.8 lead in September.

"In the Deep South, Carter is still comfortably ahead," Darden said, "but Ford is rapidly gaining on him."

That poll, he said, has an error factor of about 4 per cent either way.

Both Darden and Charles Graves, the executive director of the Democratic party in Georgia, remarked that the poll was taken before the second debate. "I think that improved Carter's position," Graves said.

A Darden poll among 500 Georgia voters in 54 cities last weekend after the third presidential debate showed

Carter favored by 59.8 per cent; Ford by 30.4 per cent; other candidates, 0.8 per cent, and 9 per cent undecided.

Darden said that poll has an error factor of 4.4 per cent either way.

At Ford headquarters in Georgia, Sam Tate, who ran Reagan's campaign in the state, is now the cochairman of the Ford campaign. "I think the vote is going to be a lot closer than I thought a month ago. We don't have polls precise enough to tell us the standing right now, but Ford will take a number of counties in Georgia."

Former Gov. Carl Sanders, defeated by Carter in 1970, said he thinks "the basic reason for the decline in Carter's situation is simply that now he has taken a position on many of the issues and that his positions are generally more liberal than the basic Southern voter's own position would be. They're having some difficulty reconciling their desire to vote for a native



Jury Convicts Man On Heroin Charge

A Chicago man arrested when police found an alleged \$250,000 worth of heroin in his car was convicted Thursday in Berrien Circuit court of possession with intent to deliver heroin. The jury in Judge William S. White's court deliberated some 3½ hours before returning the guilty verdict against Pedro C. Garcia, 33. Garcia remained jailed after White revoked his bond authorization to await a sentence which could go as high as 20 years in prison.

Garcia was charged with possessing one pound of heroin March 26 in Columbia township. Coloma city police reported they stopped to investigate a car with its hood up at the intersection of Friday road and I-94, and found the heroin. Officers set the street value of the narcotic at about \$250,000. Two co-defendants who were also in the car, Betzaida Garcia, 20, and Raul Perez, 28, also of Chicago, are

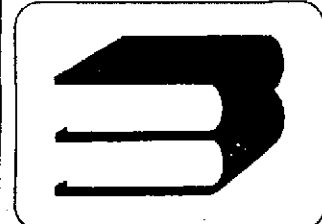
still awaiting trial on the same charges. Opposing counsel during the two-day trial were Chief Assistant Prosecutor Jeffrey Long and Chicago Atty. Michael Green.

Candidate Hits

Big Government

LAKE WORTH, Fla. (AP) — Big government is "a leech and an enemy to everyone," says Thomas Anderson, presidential candidate for the American party.

"The bigger government gets, the littler people get," Anderson told an audience of students and some supporters at Palm Beach Junior College here. "There is no reason why local and state governments cannot handle their own problems."



Benton Harbor Area Schools

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ANNUAL REPORT — 1975-76
BENTON HARBOR AREA SCHOOLS

GENERAL CONDITIONS

I. MEMBERSHIP AND ORGANIZATION

This was the eleventh year of operation of the consolidated Benton Harbor Area Schools. The membership of the 1976-77 school year compared with the 1974-75 school year was:

	1974-75* Res.	Non Res.	Number of Pupils	1975-76* Res.	Non Res.	Number of Pupils
K-6	6,106	13	6,119	6,083	7	6,094
7th-8th	1,556	—	1,556	1,560	—	1,560
9th-12th	2,428	—	2,428	2,442	—	2,442
Unclassified and Part-Time	338	—	338**	332	19	351**
TOTAL	10,428	13	10,439	10,427	20	10,447

*Rounded to nearest whole full time equated membership.

**Includes Adult Education

In addition to the membership listed above, 310 pupils were enrolled in Pre-School for the 1975-76 school year.

II. CERTIFIED PERSONNEL

	1974-75	1975-76
Certified Teachers	535	540
Number of Above Full Time Classroom Teachers	462	463
Certified Teachers in Special Programs	72	95

SALARIES OF TEACHERS

Minimum	\$8,875	\$9,109
Maximum	16,309	\$17,125
Median	12,830	\$13,963
Total Funds spent for Salaries Of Certified Teachers	\$6,907,339	\$7,408,757

RATIO OF PUPILS TO CERTIFIED FULL TIME CLASSROOM TEACHERS

20-1	20-1
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Members and Officers of the Board of Education for the 1975-76 School Year were:

Edward E. Bentley, President
Frank W. Culpe, Vice-President
Philip W. McDonald, Secretary
Janet Scott, Treasurer
Bene Fox, Trustee
Bernard Deland, Trustee
Melvin Farmer, Jr., Trustee

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III. BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

The values listed below were determined by the District's appraisal engineering service.

1974-75	1975-76
Replacement Value New of Land Im- provements, Playground Equipment.	
\$26,191,420	\$28,622,439
4,374,565	6,123,583
\$30,565,985	\$34,746,028

The above exhibits do not include the value of school sites and other land owned by the District, or the value of school buses.

1974-75	1975-76
63	63
524	519

In addition to the use of the buildings for regular and special school programs, there were 1,981 scheduled events by various civic and other groups. These events attracted some 80,773 people. The buildings were utilized for such activities in accordance with the policies of the Board of Education.

*Includes rental of BHHS Performing Arts Center and Gymnasium

IV. SUPERINTENDENT'S STATEMENT AND RECOMMENDATIONS

A. Financial Condition

The Benton Harbor Area Schools district completed the fiscal year which began July 1, 1975 and ended June 30, 1976 within the resources available. Details are shown in the accompanying statement.

All obligation of the Debt Fund and Building and Site Funds were met according to plan. The bonded indebtedness on June 30, 1976 was \$1,203,000 not including the bonded debt of the former Martindale District which was \$115,000 and is borne exclusively by taxpayers in that area. The state equalized valuation of the district was \$184,599,152.

B. Recommendations for 1976-77

We are beginning a critical period in the history of our school district—a period which requires the total cooperation of our community if we're to continue to provide the opportunity for local youngsters to receive a top-quality educational experience.

During 1975-76 the Benton Harbor Area Schools experienced a welcome change in the enthusiasm and attitude people have toward our schools. This is an exciting time for us, a time when schools and home join together to form a partnership for learning, and a time when schools and community join together to help restore pride throughout the community.

Ahead are tough decisions. With the future in mind, we will be reviewing every school program to make sure that we are operating in an effective manner with the end goal being quality education. We will review our operations to make sure that no inefficiencies exist.

All of our creative energies are being directed toward the Board's goal of providing the best possible service at the least, but most responsible, budget levels. The district has not had an increase in extra-voted millage since 1970, a remarkable feat in today's climate of increasing utility costs, inflation, and soaring state program requirements. In the future, we will be bringing for the Board's consideration a plan of responsible action that may include a request for additional operating funds. After reviewing the facts, our community must decide.

Looking back, 1975-76 must surely be listed as one of the most successful school years in recent memory. Our new Performing Arts Center was dedicated, and more than 80,000 visitors returned throughout the year to use school facilities. Our first year back on single sessions at Benton Harbor High School proved beneficial to students and parents. The North Central accreditation team gave BHHS high marks as a full-service comprehensive high school providing programs for the college-bound and vocationally-minded student. Elementary programs continued to be excellent.

Looking ahead, the school year now beginning will be characterized next year as one where we improved the educational environment not by adding new and expensive innovative programs, but by making the programs that exist today work better for students. After a careful review, new efforts will be made to involve the community with the schools.

This year will also be listed as a year of decision for the community. Our entire extra-voted operating millage expires with this tax levy. This means a spring millage election, and the opportunity for parents and citizens to provide a vote of confidence for our schools. I urge every citizen to get involved at the building level now to be prepared to make this judgement. We are certain that those who take the time to get involved with our schools will agree that the Benton Harbor Area Schools today are as good as they ever have been. We are working to make them the best they can be.

BENTON HARBOR AREA SCHOOLS Comparative Balance Sheets

Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1975 and 1976

	1975	1976
GENERAL FUND		
Assets:		
Cash in banks	\$678,732	\$184,955
Investment securities	984,181	1,118,513
Accounts receivable	252,925	558,180
Taxes receivable	1,508,744	1,238,327
Inventories	267,962	297,776
Unexpired insurance premiums	—	10,728
Accrued interest receivable	10,601	6,520
TOTAL GENERAL FUND ASSETS	\$3,709,145	\$3,414,999
Liabilities:		
Notes payable	\$900,000	\$ —
Accounts payable	550,693	499,242
Salaries payable	1,082,154	1,121,076
Salary withholdings payable	223,142	174,572
Accrued expenses	31,536	9,775
Other liabilities	25,739	23,683
Deferred revenue	92,034	11,128
TOTAL GENERAL FUND LIABILITIES	\$2,885,299	\$1,839,476
General Fund Equity (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)	\$817,846	\$1,575,523

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DEBT RETIREMENT FUND		
Assets:		
Cash in banks	\$ 10,404	\$ 2,679
Investment securities	427,612	416,961
Taxes receivable	31,982	28,065
Accrued interest receivable	4,748	4,022
TOTAL RETIREMENT FUND ASSETS	\$474,756	\$451,727
Liabilities: Accounts payable	—	304
DEBT RETIREMENT FUND EQUITY (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)	\$474,756	\$451,423

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Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1975 and 1976

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BUILDING AND SITE FUND		
Assets:		
Cash in banks	\$ 30	\$ 1,730
Investment securities	7,328	39,093
Taxes receivable	—	782
Accrued interest receivable	46	278
TOTAL BUILDING AND SITE FUND ASSETS	\$ 7,604	\$41,883
Liabilities	—	1,580
TOTAL BUILDING AND SITE FUND EQUITY	\$ 7,604	\$40,303

BENTON HARBOR AREA SCHOOLS Comparative Balance Sheets

Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1975 and 1976

	1975	1976
ANALYSIS OF FUND EQUITIES		
General Fund	\$1,575,523	\$451,423
Debt Retirement Fund	—	—
Building and Site Fund	—	—
FUND EQUITY: Beginning of Year (July 1, 1975)	\$1,575,523	\$451,423

ADDITIONS:	Excess of Revenues over Expenditures	—	23,333	—
TOTAL:	Equity plus Additions	\$1,575,523	\$474,756	\$40,296
DEDUCTIONS:	Excess of Expenditures over Revenues	757,677	—	32,692
FUND EQUITY:	End of Year (June 30, 1976)	\$817,846	\$474,756	\$7,604

BENTON HARBOR AREA SCHOOLS Comparative Report of Revenues and Expenditures Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1975 and 1976

GENERAL FUND

	1975	1976
Revenues:		
Revenue from Local Sources	\$6,178,091	\$6,442,947
Revenue from State Sources	7,825,363	8,195,465
Revenue from Federal Sources	145,967	138,298
Gifts and Bequests	500	—
Incoming Transfers from Other School Districts	195,034	213,574
Food Services	655,233	758,552
TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUES AND INCOMING TRANSFERS	\$14,801,688	\$15,748,836

Expenditures:		
Instruction:		
Elementary	\$4,844,120	\$4,973,438
Secondary	3,540,996	4,219,421
Special Education	702,186	749,789
Summer Schools	85,672	71,716
Adult Education	100,575	77,167
Other	—	51,765
Administration	801,015	794,892
Attendance	21,289	24,456
Health Service	73,517	80,930
Pupil Transportation	326,534	386,502
Operation of Plant	1,427,415	1,532,281
Maintenance of Plant	815,368	788,445
Fixed Charges	594,969	1,187,865
Capital Outlay	765,048	667,875
Community Services	79,611	86,266
Student Services	749,575	803,574
Outgoing Transfers to Other Districts	47,671	20,111
TOTAL GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES AND TRANSFERS	\$15,215,771	\$16,306,513
Excess of Expenditures over Revenue	\$414,083	\$757,677

BENTON HARBOR AREA SCHOOLS Comparative Report of Revenues and Expenditures Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1975 and 1976

DEBT RETIREMENT FUND

	1975	1976
Revenues:		
Revenue from Debt Retirement Property Tax	\$129,472	\$139,193
Interest and Penalties on Delinquent Taxes	689	766
Revenue from Interest on Investments	30,769	24,708
Miscellaneous Receipts	794	419
TOTAL DEBT RETIREMENT REVENUES AND TRANSFERS	\$161,724	\$159,086

Expenditures:		
Redemption of Serial Bonds	\$75,000	\$76,000
Interest on Bonded Debt	61,428	58,142
Other Debt Retirement Expenses	735	1,811
TOTAL DEBT RETIREMENT EXPENSES	\$137,163	\$135,753
Excess of Revenues over Expenditures	\$ 24,561	\$ 23,333

BENTON HARBOR AREA SCHOOLS Comparative Report of Revenues and Expenditures Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1976 and 1975

BUILDING AND SITE FUND

	1975	1976
Revenues:		
Interest and Penalties on Delinquent Tax	—	—
Collection	8112	—
Interest on Investments	2,276	806
Other	1,050	1,601
TOTAL BUILDING AND SITE FUND REVENUE	\$ 3,438	\$ 1,807

Expenditures:		
Site Acquisition and Improvements	\$21,295	\$31,495
Remodeling and Improvement of Buildings	—	2,224
Miscellaneous Expenditures	—	780
TOTAL BUILDING AND SITE FUND EXPENDITURES	\$21,295	\$34,499
Excess of Expenditures over Revenues	\$17,857	\$32,692

Carter's Georgia Lead Eroding

By DICK PETTYS
Associated Press Writer
ATLANTA (AP) — Jimmy Carter seems certain to pull his home state back into the Democratic presidential column for the first time in 12 years, but not with the landslide he built to win the Georgia Democratic primary seven months ago.

"I don't think there is any question that Gov. Carter will carry his home state in the November general election," says Gov. George Busbee, who succeeded Carter two years ago as Georgia's chief executive.

"However, I do not believe he will carry the state as handily as he did in the May 4 primary. The polls show that President Ford is making inroads in the South and it would be foolhardy for Gov. Carter to take the South for granted," Busbee added.

Carter collected 84 per cent of the 480,000 Democratic votes cast in the state's first presidential primary in modern times.

That was last May. A regional poll released during October said Carter's popularity in the Deep South took a 10-point dive during September — a month which included the famous Playboy interview and the first presidential debate, but not the second or third debates.

And, in the meantime, Georgia Republicans have reunited behind Ford after casting nearly 70 per cent of their primary votes for former

California Gov. Ronald Reagan. The state has not backed a Democratic presidential candidate since John F. Kennedy in 1960. In 1964, Barry Goldwater carried the state; in 1968, George C. Wallace; in 1972, Richard M. Nixon.

Yet it is a state of deep Democratic traditions reaching back to the aftermath of Reconstruction. Every major state official and most local officials are Democrats.

The poll conducted by Darden Research Corp. among 600 voters in the South showed that Carter's lead over Ford dropped from 21.7 per cent in September to 11 per cent in October, with Ford making gains among Democrats and independents. Darden showed Carter with a 49.5-38.5 over Ford in October compared to a 53.5-31.8 lead in September.

"In the Deep South, Carter is still comfortably ahead," Darden said, "but Ford is rapidly gaining on him."

That poll, he said, has an error factor of about 4 per cent either way.

Both Darden and Charles Graves, the executive director of the Democratic party in Georgia, remarked that the poll was taken before the second debate. "I think that improved Carter's position," Graves said.

A Darden poll among 500 Georgia voters in 34 cities last weekend after the third presidential debate showed

Carter favored by 59.8 per cent; Ford by 30.4 per cent; other candidates, 0.8 per cent, and 9 per cent undecided.

Darden said that poll has an error factor of 4.4 per cent either way.

At Ford headquarters in Georgia, Sam Tate, who ran Reagan's campaign in the state, is now the co-chairman of the Ford campaign. "I think the vote is going to be a lot closer than I thought a month ago. We don't have polls precise enough to tell us the standing right now, but Ford will take a number of counties in Georgia."

Former Gov. Carl Sanders, defeated by Carter in 1970, said he thinks "the basic reason for the decline in Carter's situation is simply that now he has taken a position on many of the issues and that his positions are generally more liberal than the basic Southern voter's own position would be. They're having some difficulty reconciling their desire to vote for a native



ATTENDING: Melvin Lane Powers attends funeral services Thursday in Miami Beach, Fla., for his aunt, Candace Mossler. She died Tuesday. The two were charged with murder of her husband in 1966, were tried and acquitted in Miami. (AP Wirephoto)

son against voting for a political philosophy that's a great deal more liberal," Sanders said.

The Darden poll did not entirely bear out that argument. Nearly half of the sample — 48.2 per cent — said Carter's stands more nearly represented the Southern viewpoint while 24.2 per cent named Ford and 27.2 per cent said they didn't know.

Jury Convicts Man On Heroin Charge

A Chicago man arrested when police found an alleged \$250,000 worth of heroin in his car was convicted Thursday in Berrien Circuit court of possession with intent to deliver heroin. The jury in Judge William S. White's court deliberated some 3½ hours before returning the guilty verdict against Pedro C. Garcia, 33. Garcia remained jailed after White revoked his bond authorization to await a sentence which could go as high as 20 years in prison.

Garcia was charged with possessing one pound of heroin March 26 in Coloma township. Coloma city police reported they stopped to investigate a car with its hood up at the intersection of Friday road and I-94, and found the heroin. Officers set the street value of the narcotic at about \$250,000. Two co-defendants who were also in the car, Betzaida Garcia, 20, and Raul Perez, 28, also of Chicago, are

still awaiting trial on the same charges. Opposing counsel during the two-day trial were Chief Assistant Prosecutor Jeffrey Long and Chicago Atty. Michael Green.

Candidate Hits Big Government

LAKE WORTH, Fla. (AP) — Big government is "a leech and an enemy to everyone," says Thomas Anderson, presidential candidate for the American party.

"The bigger government gets, the littler people get," Anderson told an audience of students and some supporters at Palm Beach Junior College here. "There is no reason why local and state governments cannot handle their own problems."



Benton Harbor Area Schools

ANNUAL REPORT — 1975-76 BENTON HARBOR AREA SCHOOLS

GENERAL CONDITIONS

I. MEMBERSHIP AND ORGANIZATION

This was the eleventh year of operation of the consolidated Benton Harbor Area Schools. The membership of the 1976-77 school year compared with the 1974-75 school year was:

	1974-75* Res.	Non Res.	Number of Pupils	1975-76* Res.	Non Res.	Number of Pupils
K-6	6,106	13	6,119	6,093	1	6,094
7th-8th	1,556	—	1,556	1,560	—	1,560
9th-12th	2,428	—	2,428	2,442	—	2,442
Unclassified & Part-Time	336	—	336**	332	19	351**
TOTAL	10,426	13	10,439	10,427	20	10,447

*Rounded to nearest whole full time equated membership.

**Includes Adult Education

In addition to the membership listed above, 310 pupils were enrolled in Pre-School for the 1975-76 school year.

II. CERTIFIED PERSONNEL

	1974-75	1975-76
Certified Teachers	535	539
Number of Above Full Time Classroom Teachers	462	463
Certified Teachers in Special Programs	72	95
SALARIES OF TEACHERS		
Minimum	\$8,675	\$9,109
Maximum	\$16,309	\$17,125
Median	\$12,839	\$13,963
Total Funds spent for Salaries Of Certified Teachers	\$8,907,339	\$7,408,757

RATIO OF PUPILS TO CERTIFIED FULL TIME CLASSROOM TEACHERS

	1974-75	1975-76
Members and Officers of the Board of Education for the 1975-76 School Year were:		
Edward E. Bentley, President		
Frank W. Culby, Vice-President		
Philip W. McDonald, Secretary		
Janet Scott, Treasurer		
Helen Fox, Trustee		
Bernard Beland, Trustee		
Melvin Farmer, Jr., Trustee		

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III. BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES

The values listed below were determined by the District's appraisal engineering service.

	1974-75	1975-76
Replacement Value New of Land Im-		
provements, Playground Equipment,		
Buildings and Appurtenances	\$28,101,420	\$28,622,439
	4,374,565	6,123,589
TOTALS	\$30,475,985	\$34,746,028

The above exhibits do not include the value of school sites and other land owned by the District, or the value of school buses.

	1974-75	1975-76
65	Number of Buildings	63
524	Number of Classrooms	519

In addition to the use of the buildings for regular and special school programs, there were 1,981 scheduled events by various civic and other groups. These events attracted some 80,773* people. The buildings were utilized for such activities in accordance with the policies of the Board of Education.

*Includes rental of BHHS Performing Arts Center and Gymnasium

IV. SUPERINTENDENT'S STATEMENT AND RECOMMENDATIONS

A. Financial Condition

The Benton Harbor Area Schools district completed the fiscal year which began July 1, 1975 and ended June 30, 1976 within the resources available. Details are shown in the accompanying statement.

All obligation of the Debt Fund and Building and Site Funds were met according to plan. The bonded indebtedness on June 30, 1976 was \$1,203,000 not including the bonded debt of the former Martindale District which was \$115,000 and is borne exclusively by taxpayers in that area. The state equalized valuation of the district was \$184,599,152.

B. Recommendations for 1976-77

We are beginning a critical period in the history of our school district—a period which requires the total cooperation of our community if we're to continue to provide the opportunity for local youngsters to receive a top-quality educational experience.

During 1975-76 the Benton Harbor Area Schools experienced a welcome change in the enthusiasm and attitude people have toward our schools. This is an exciting time for us, a time when schools and home join together to form a partnership for learning, and a time when schools and community join together to help restore pride throughout the community.

Ahead are tough decisions. With the future in mind, we will be reviewing every school program to make sure that we are operating in an effective manner with the end goal being quality education. We will review our operations to make sure that no inefficiencies exist.

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BENTON HARBOR, MICHIGAN

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All of our creative energies are being directed toward the Board's goal of providing the best possible service at the least, but most responsible, budget levels. The district has not had an increase in extra-voted millage since 1970, a remarkable feat in today's climate of increasing utility costs, inflation, and soaring state program requirements. In the future, we will be bringing for the Board's consideration a plan of responsible action that may include a request for additional operating funds. After reviewing the facts, our community must decide.

Looking back, 1975-76 must surely be listed as one of the most successful school years in recent memory. Our new Performing Arts Center was dedicated, and more than 80,000 visitors returned throughout the year to use school facilities. Our first year back on single sessions at Benton Harbor High School proved beneficial to students and parents. The North Central accreditation team gave BHHS high marks as a full-service comprehensive high school providing programs for the college-bound and vocationally-minded student. Elementary programs continued to be excellent.

Looking ahead, the school year now beginning will be characterized next year as one where we improved the educational environment not by adding new and expensive innovative programs, but by making the programs that exist today work better for students. After a careful review, new efforts will be made to involve the community with the schools.

This year will also be listed as a year of decision for the community. Our entire extra-voted operating millage expires with this tax levy. This means a spring millage election, and the opportunity for parents and citizens to provide a vote of confidence for our schools. I urge every citizen to get involved at the building level now to be prepared to make this judgement. We are certain that those who take the time to get involved with our schools will agree that the Benton Harbor Area Schools today are as good as they ever have been. We are working to make them the best they can be.

BENTON HARBOR AREA SCHOOLS

Comparative Balance Sheets

Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1975 and 1976

	June 30 1975	June 30 1976
ASSETS:		
Cash in banks	\$878,732	\$184,955
Investment securities	984,181	1,118,513
Accounts receivable	252,925	558,180
Taxes receivable	1,508,744	1,238,327
Inventories	267,962	297,776
Unexpired insurance premiums	—	10,728
Accrued interest receivable	10,601	6,520
TOTAL GENERAL FUND ASSETS	\$3,703,145	\$3,414,969
LIABILITIES		
Notes payable	\$900,000	\$ —
Accounts payable	550,693	499,242
Salaries payable	1,062,153	1,121,076
Salary withholdings payable	223,142	174,572
Accrued expenses	31,536	9,773
Other liabilities	25,739	23,683
Deferred revenue	92,034	11,128
TOTAL GENERAL FUND LIABILITIES	\$2,885,299	\$1,839,476
General Fund Equity (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)	\$817,846	\$1,575,523

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Comparative Balance Sheets

Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 1975 and 1976

	June 30 1975	June 30 1976
ASSETS:		
Cash in banks	\$ 10,404	\$ 2,679
Investment securities	427,612	416,961
Taxes receivable	31,992	28,065
Accrued interest receivable	4,748	4,022
TOTAL RETIREMENT FUND ASSETS	\$474,756	\$451,727
LIABILITIES:		
Accounts payable	—	304
DEBT RETIREMENT FUND EQUITY (Excess of Assets over Liabilities)	\$474,756	\$451,423
BUILDING AND SITE FUND		
ASSETS:		
Cash in banks	\$ 30	\$ 1,730
Investment securities	7,528	39,095
Taxes receivable	—	782
Accrued interest receivable	46	278
TOTAL BUILDING AND SITE FUND ASSETS	\$ 7,604	\$41,885
LIABILITIES:		
—	—	1,589
TOTAL BUILDING AND SITE FUND EQUITY	\$ 7,604	\$40,296

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ANALYSIS OF FUND EQUITIES

	General Fund	Debt Retirement Fund	Building and Site Fund
FUND EQUITY:			
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REVENUES:		
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NBC Sunday Documentary

How Films Show Change

By JAY SHARBUIT
AP Television Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — This Sunday, NBC is airing a three-hour night of flicks called "Life Goes to the Movies," offering clips of about 200 films made over a 36-year span for viewer inspection.

It represents more than a year's work, considering of some 800 films, and long, arduous haggling with owners of the chosen films for rights to air excerpts of the movies, says co-producer Mel Stuart.

And the theme of the opus is not simply that these films were what folks watched way back when, he adds, but rather "how they were a reflection of the manners, the mores and the political thrust of the American people when they were made ...

"The easiest way to explain it is that there's a helluva long way from Andy Hardy to 'The Graduate,'" he said. "The Graduate wouldn't have been possible in the 1930s. There would have been riots in the streets."



Stuart, a thin, wiry veteran of movies and television who won an Emmy in 1969 for his "Making of the President" TV documentary about the 1968 elections, doesn't think three hours of Sunday night movie-watching will prove too much for the television viewer.

"No. I'm breaking it up in a thousand ways," he said, referring to various visual and aural tricks of the trade he's put in the show to keep — he hopes — the viewer's attention.

"And secondly, I'm giving them (viewers) films like 'Easy Rider,' 'Patton' and 'Philadelphia Story,' and what else can they possibly see like this on another channel at one time?"

The show, to be hosted by Henry Fonda, Shirley MacLaine and Liza Minnelli, isn't coming cheaply, Stuart says it's "probably the most expensive documentary ever made."

He declined to say how much it cost to put together, but grinned when asked if one could assume the tab runs way up the six-figure category.

"How about seven?" he suggested.

Hope Reflects

On Anniversary

By JERRY BUCK
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Bob Hope starts his 27th year on television tonight with a backward look.

"We're going to look at the highlights of my shows from the past 26 years," said Hope. "Actually, it goes back much further than that because producer Jack Haley Jr. found a monologue I did for a Los Angeles station in 1947."

"That was in the days when we didn't think there was much future for television. Now I think there's a little bit of a future."

The two-hour "Bob Hope World of Comedy" will be seen on NBC at 8 p.m. EDT today.

With the presidential election only a few days off, Hope will review his political needling over the years.

"Political humor really hasn't changed much," said Hope. "Just the people. I started back with Truman and his piano playing, Ike and golf, Kennedy and his rocking chair, Johnson and his barbecues and fast driving, Ford brings in football and skiing, Carter brings in Peanuts and the Playboy interview."

Another major weekend show will be the three-hour "Life Goes to the Movies" on NBC at 8 p.m. EST Sunday (That's Eastern Standard Time not Daylight — the clocks go back an hour at 2 a.m. this Sunday).

ABC takes a last-minute look at the presidential election at 11:30 p.m. tonight with "Political Spirit of '76 — Battle for the White House." On Sunday at 11:30 a.m., ABC will present a program for children called "How to Follow the Election."

MOVIES: The ABC Friday Night Movie, "Look What's Happened to Rosemary's Baby," Stephen McHattie is the grown-up baby torn between good and evil. Four Oscar winners also star: Ruth Gordon, Ray Milland, Patty Duke Astin and Broderick Crawford. The CBS Friday Night Movie, "Badlands," stars Martin Sheen and Sissy Spacek in a tale of teenage romance and thrill killing. In "McQ," ABC's Saturday Night at the Movies, detective John Wayne avenges the killing of a fellow officer. ABC's Sunday Night Movie is "Live and Let Die." Roger Moore and James Bond pursues Mr. Big.

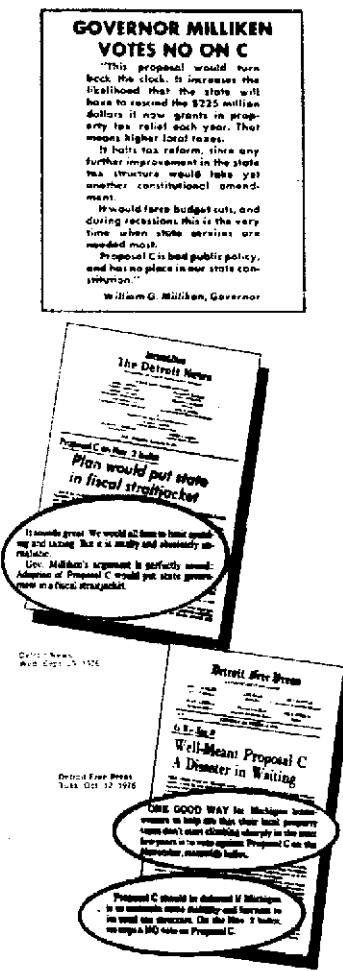
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Justice Lindemer

ACROSS

38 Fake jewelry
40 Billboards
1 Energy agency (abbr.)
5 Manta
8 Pennsylvania port
12 Waters (Fr.)
13 Actress Gabor
14 Nobleman
15 Gin-and-tonic garnish
16 Chiro
17 Rivers (Sp.)
18 Shut with force
20 Article
21 Be sick
22 Lament
23 Publish
26 Justify
30 Radiation measure (abbr.)
31 Circuit
32 Hurrah for short
33 Night before a holiday
34 English princess
35 Day of week (abbr.)
36 Meeting

DOWN

1 Electric fish
2 Locomotive truck
3 Pussian count
4 Woodchopper (abbr.)
5 Turn away
6 Keenly eager
7 Sharp bark
8 More uncanny
9 Shower
10 Press clothes
11 Actress
12 Lancaster
19 Technical university (abbr.)
20 Unmixed
22 Exceptional
23 President (abbr.)
24 Part
25 Roman date
26 Comedian Ed
27 Branches of learning
28 Sea mile (abbr.)
29 You (archaic)
31 Seth's son
34 Assistant
37 Scented bag
38 Greek deity
39 Among
41 Rotating machine part
42 Hammer part
43 Assault
44 Applies frosting
45 Shakespearian villain
46 Author Grey
47 Australian birds
48 Obligation
50 Fled

TELEVISION LOG

This Evening

7:30 p.m.
2.22 All In The Family
5.8.16 Another World
9 Love, American Style
3:30 p.m.
2.3.22 Match Game
9 I Dream of Jeannie
4 p.m.
2.3.22 Tattletales
5 Somerset
7.28 Edge of Night
13 Flintstones
9 Mickey Mouse Club
8.16 Bugs Bunny
4:30 p.m.
2.3.28 Dinah Shore
5 Marcus Welby, M.D.
22 Mike Douglas
7 Movie
8 Gilligan's Island
9 Howdy Doody
13 Bewitched
5 p.m.
8 Partridge Family
9.16 Gilligan's Island
13 Beverly Hills
5:30 p.m.
8 Brady Bunch
13 News
16 I Love Lucy
9 McHale's Navy
28 My Three Sons
6 p.m.
2.3.5.7.8.13.28 News
16 Emergency One!
9 Bewitched
22 Adam-12
6:30 p.m.
2.3.7.8.13.22.28 News
9 Andy Griffith
13 Adam-12
7 p.m.
2.7.8.16.22 News
3 Concentration
9 Dick Van Dyke
13 Cross-Wits
28 Gunsmoke

Tomorrow

8 a.m.
2.3.22 Sylvester and Tweety
5.8.16 Woody Woodpecker
7.13.28 Tom & Jerry
9 U.S. Farm Report
8:30 a.m.
2.3.22 Bugs Bunny/
Road Runner
5.8.16 Pink Panther
9 Daniel Boone
9 a.m.
7.28.13 Jabberjaw
9:30 a.m.
2.3.22 Tarzan
7.13.28 Scooby-Doo
9 Movie
10 a.m.
2.3.22 Shazam
5.8.16 McHale
10:30 a.m.
5.8.16 Monster Squad
7.13.28 Krofft Superstar
11 a.m.
2.3.22 Ark II
5.8.16 Land of the Lost
9 Movie
11:30 a.m.
2.3.22 Clue Club
5.8.16 Big John - Little John
12 Noon
2.3.22 Fat Albert
5.8.16 Kids From C.A.P.E.R.
7.13.28 Junior Almost Anything Goes
12:30 p.m.
3.2.22 Way Out Games
5.8.16 Muggsy
7.13.28 American Bandstand
9 Charlando
1 p.m.
8 Soul Train
3.2.22 Children's Film Festival
9 Movie
1:30 p.m.
7.13.28 NCAA Football
2.22 What's It All About?
5 American: The Young Experience
2 p.m.
3 Ara's World of Sports
2 Different Drummers
5 Commanders
8 Wildlife In Crisis
16 Movie
22 Soul Train
2:30 p.m.
3 Big Valley
2 Opportunity Line
8 My Three Sons

RADIO LOG

This Evening

3 a.m.
WJOR Bulletin Board: Hymns
WSJM NBC News
WIRX-FM Country Music
WDOW Afternoon Show
3:30 p.m.
WSJM Music - Craig Cole
WAUS-FX News - Music
WJOR Lee Emerson
4 p.m.
WSJM News
WAUS-FM News - Music
WDOW Afternoon Show: Earl Nightingale
5 a.m.
WSJM Evening Report
WAUS-FM All Things Con.
WJOR News: Sports
WDOW News: Sports
5:30 p.m.
WJOR Jon Ross
WDOW Lum & Abner
4 p.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM Country Music
WAUS-FX Sacred Music
WDOW News: Night Beat
4:30 p.m.
WSJM Kelly Green - Music
WDOW Night Beat
7 p.m.
WAUS-FM Your Story Hour
WJOR Sign Off
8 p.m.
WSJM News
WAUS-FM Path to the Heart
9 p.m.
WSJM Music
WIRX-FM Country Music
WAUS-FM Music
10 p.m.
WSJM News
WAUS-FM Music
WDOW Sign Off
11 p.m.
WSJM News
WAUS-FM Music
WDOW Sign Off

Tomorrow

8 a.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM Morning Report
WAUS-FM Morning Show
WJOR News: Religion Page
WJOR News: Religion Club
8:30 a.m.
WSJM Dave Marshall - Music
WIRX-FM Country Music
WAUS-FM Religion Page
9 a.m.
WSJM News
WJOR Alice Flood Show
WDOW Sound Off
9:30 a.m.
WDOW Sound Off
WSJM Music - Dave Marshall
WJOR Sound Off
WAUS-FM Morning Inspiration
10 a.m.
WSJM News - Midwest Surtalk
WJOR Radio Show
WDOW Morning Show
11 a.m.
WSJM News
WAUS-FM Church Service
WJOR Radio Emory
12 Noon
WSJM Noon News
WAUS-FM Sacred Music

WHFB

ABC AFFILIATE
1060 ON DIAL

3:05-The Chuck Campbell Show
3:30-News Round-up
3:40-Sportscast
4:00-ABC News
4:25-Local Headlines
4:30-ABC Paul Harvey
4:55-Fishing Report
5:00-ABC News
5:20-Local Sports W/Campbell
5:30-Local Eve. News W/Kelly
6:00-ABC News/Feature
6:05-John Cameron Show
6:30-Local News
6:35-ABC Smith/Reasoner
7:00-Sign-Off

SATURDAY
7:15-Sign-On Morning Show
News/Weather/Music
7:30-Local News
7:35-Sports Page
8:00-Major Newscast
W/Creakright
8:15-Weathercast
8:25-ABC's Howard Cosell
8:30-Communique
8:35-Computer Kick-Off
9:00-ABC News
9:05-Campbell's Sports Spectrum
9:15-Fishing Report
10:00-ABC News
10:05-Chuck Campbell and WHFB's Wonderful Weekend
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ACROSS

38 Fake jewelry
40 Billboards
1 Energy
5 Manta
8 Pennsylvania
12 Waters (Fr.)
13 Actress Gabor
14 Nobleman
15 Gin-and-tonic
16 Chirp
17 Rivers (Sp.)
18 Shut with
20 Auntie
21 Be sick
22 Lament
23 Publish
26 Justify
30 Radiation
31 Circuit
32 Hurrah, for
33 Night before a
34 English
35 Day of week
36 Meeting

DOWN

1 Electric fish
2 Locomotive
3 Russian
4 Woodchopper
5 Turn away
6 Keenly eager
7 Sharp bark
8 More uncanny
9 Shower
10 Press clothes
11 Actress
12 Lanchester
13 Technical uni-
19 Greek deity

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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RADIO LOG

This Evening

3 p.m.
WJOR Bulletin Board: Hymns
WSJM NBC News
WIRX-FM Country Music
WJOR Afternoon Show
3:30 p.m.
WSJM Music - Craig Cole
WIRX-FM News - Music
WJOR Lee Emerson
4 p.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM News - Music
WJOR Afternoon Show
5 p.m.
WSJM Evening Report
WIRX-FM All Things Con.
WJOR News: Sports
WJOR News: Sports
5:30 p.m.
WJOR Jan Russ
WJOR Lum & Abner
6 p.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM Country Music
WIRX-FM Sacred Music
WJOR News: Night Beat
6:30 p.m.
WSJM Kelly Green - Music
WJOR Night Beat
7 p.m.
WIRX-FM Your Story Hour
WJOR Sign Off
8 p.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM Path to the Heart
9 p.m.
WSJM Music
WIRX-FM Country Music
WIRX-FM Music
10 p.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM Music
11 p.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM Music
WJOR Sign Off

Tomorrow

8 a.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM Morning Report
WJOR Morning Show
WIRX-FM Religion Page
WJOR News Breakfast Club
8:30 a.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM Country Music
WIRX-FM Religion Page
9 a.m.
WSJM News
WJOR Alice Flood Show
WJOR Sound Off
9:30 a.m.
WJOR Sound Off
WSJM Music - Dave Marshall
WJOR Sound Off
WIRX-FM Morning Inspiration
10 a.m.
WSJM News - Midwest Sportalk
WJOR Ralph Show
WJOR Morning Show
11 a.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM Church Service
WJOR Ralph Emmery
12 Noon
WSJM Noon News
WIRX-FM Sacred Music

WHFB ABC AFFILIATE 1060 ON DIAL

3:05-The Chuck Campbell Show
3:30-News Round-up
3:40-Sportscast
4:00-ABC News
4:25-Local Headlines
4:30-ABC Paul Harvey
4:55-Fishing Report
5:00-ABC News
5:20-Local Sports W/Campbell
5:30-Local Eve. News W/Kelly
6:00-ABC News/Feature
6:05-John Cameron Show
6:30-Local News
6:35-ABC Smith/Reasoner
7:00-Sign-Off

SATURDAY

7:15-Sign-On Morning Show
News/Weather/Music
7:30-Local News
7:35-Sports Page
8:00-Major Newscast
W/Cronknight
8:15-Weathercast
8:25-ABC's Howard Cosell
8:30-Communique
8:35-Computer Kick-Off
9:00-ABC News
9:05-Campbell's Sports
Spectrum
9:15-Fishing Report
10:00-ABC News
10:05-Chuck Campbell and
WHFB's Wonderful Weekend
10:30-Local News
11:00-ABC News

WJOR News: Farm Report
WIRX-FM Music - 12:30 p.m.
WIRX-FM Country Music
1 p.m.
WSJM News - Music - Craig Cole
WIRX-FM Music
WJOR Tradio
1:30 p.m.
WJOR Lee Emerson
WSJM Music - Craig Cole
WIRX-FM Music
2 p.m.
WSJM News
WIRX-FM Music

WHFB-FM Stereo 100

3:00-Together
3:15-ABC News
3:45-Local News
5:00-Computer Kick-Off
5:30-Ch. of Christ "Heartbeat"
5:45-Major Newscast
6:00-Earl Nightingale
6:05-Touching
6:15-Stock Market Reports
7:15-Pre-Game Show
7:30-Kick-Off/Game-Of-Week
10:00-John Doremus Show
11:00-Love Shadows
12:00 Mid.-Sign-off

SATURDAY

5:30-8:00-Sign-On
Morning Show
News/Weather/Music
6:30-Local News
6:55-AG Weather Advisory
7:00-ABC News
7:30-Local News
7:35-Sports Page
8:00-15-Min. Major Newscast
ABC News :15 after Hr.
Local News :45 before Hr.)
8:30-Computer Kick-Off
8:45-Community Communique
9:00-Only You
9:15-Fishing Report
11:45-Major Newscast
12:00-Searching
12:15-Fishing Report
1:00-Community Communique
1:05-MSU Collegiate
3:00-Together
5:45-Major Newscast
6:05-Touching
6:15-Stock Market Reports
8:45-Community Communique
9:00-John Doremus Show
10:00-Love Shadows
12:00 Mid.-Sign-off

AP Is Growing

BOSTON (AP) - The Associated Press' board of directors has accepted newspaper membership applications bringing the size of the news-gathering cooperative to a record 1,322 American newspapers.

TELEVISION LOG

This Evening

3 p.m.
2.3.22 All In The Family
5.8.16 Another World
9 Love, American Style
3:30 p.m.
2.3.22 Match Game
9 I Dream of Jeannie
4 p.m.
2.3.22 Tattletales
5 Somerset
7.28 Edge of Night
13 Flintstones
9 Mickey Mouse Club
8.16 Bugs Bunny
4:30 p.m.
2.3.28 Dinah Shore
5 Marcus Welby, M.D.
22 Mike Douglas
7 Movie
8 Gilligan's Island
9 Howdy Doody
13 Bewitched
5 p.m.
8 Partridge Family
9.16 Gilligan's Island
13 Beverly Hills
5:30 p.m.
8 Brady Bunch
13 News
16 I Love Lucy
9 McHale's Navy
28 My Three Sons
6 p.m.
2.3.5.7.8.13.28 News
16 Emergency One!
9 Bewitched
22 Adam-12
6:30 p.m.
2.3.7.8.13.22.28 News
9 Andy Griffith
13 Adam-12
7 p.m.
2.7.8.16.22 News
3 Concentration
9 Dick Van Dyke
13 Cross-Wits
28 Gunsmoke

7:30 p.m.

2.22 Boxing
16 News
3 \$25,000 Pyramid
5 Andy Williams
8 Wild Kingdom
9 Odd Couple
13 To Tell The Truth
8 p.m.
2.3.22 Spencer's Pilots
5.8.16 Bob Hope Special
7.13.28 Paul Lynde Special
9 Star Trek
9 p.m.
2.3.22 Movie
7.28.13 Movie
9 Movie
10 p.m.
5.8.16 Serpico
11 p.m.
2.5.7.8.16.22.28 News
11:30 p.m.
2.3.22 Movie
5.8.16 Johnny Carson
7.28 Battle for the
White House
9 Movie

Tomorrow

8 a.m.
2.3.22 Sylvester and Tweety
5.8.16 Woody Woodpecker
7.13.28 Tom & Jerry
9 U.S. Farm Report
8:30 a.m.
2.3.22 Bugs Bunny/
Road Runner
5.8.16 Pink Panther
9 Daniel Boone
9 a.m.
7.28.13 Jabberjaw
9:30 a.m.
2.3.22 Tarzan
7.13.28 Scooby-Doo
9 Movie
10 a.m.
2.3.22 Shazam
5.8.16 McDuff
10:30 a.m.
5.8.16 Monster Squad
7.13.28 Krofft Supershow
11 a.m.
2.3.22 Ark II
5.8.16 Land of the Lost
9 Movie
11:30 a.m.
2.3.22 Clue Club
5.8.16 Big John - Little John
12 Noon
2.3.22 Fat Albert
5.8.16 Kids From C.A.P.E.R.
7.13.28 Junior Almost Anything
Goes
12:30 p.m.
3.2.22 Way Out Games
5.8.16 Muggsy
7.13.28 American Bandstand
9 Charlando
1 p.m.
8 Soul Train
2.3.22 Children's Film Festival
9 Movie
1:30 p.m.
7.13.28 NCAA Football
2:22 What's It All About?
5 America: The Young
Experience
2 p.m.
3 Ara's World of Sports
2 Different Drummers
5 Commanders
8 Wildlife In Crisis
16 Movie
22 Soul Train
2:30 p.m.
3 Big Valley
2 Opportunity Line
8 My Three Sons

Specials

TONIGHT ON STEREO 100

Play-By-Play
Muskegon Catholic at
Benton Harbor
Starting at 7:15 P.M.

Tomorrow on Stereo 100

MSU vs. Purdue
Starting at 1 P.M.
Sat Eve at 7:15 P.M.
Ber. Springs at
Lake Mich. Catholic
Starting at 7:15 P.M.
Saturday on WHFB-1060
U of M "Wolverines"
vs. Minnesota
Starting at 1:15 P.M.

Releations Better

DENVER (AP) - Franco-American relations are improving, but tough issues centered around the Concorde supersonic jetliner still remain, says Jacques Kosciusko-Morizot, France's ambassador to the United States.

PARTY, WIN OR LOSE

ATLANTA (AP) - Jimmy Carter will have an election night victory party, whether he wins or loses.

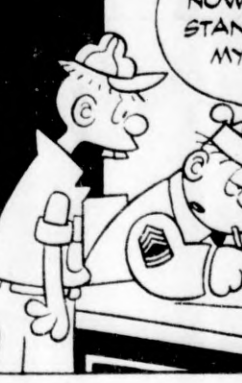
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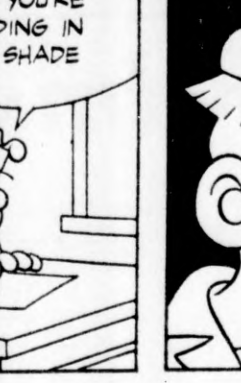
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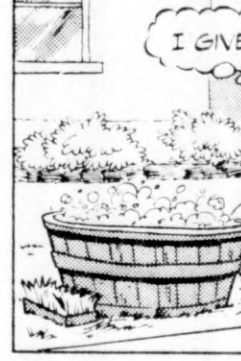
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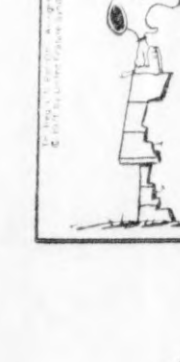
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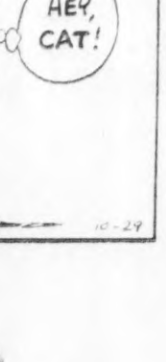
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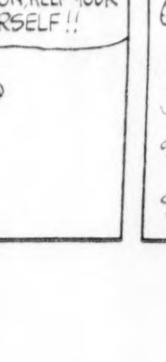
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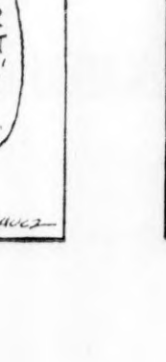
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NEWS OF MARKETS

Market Slides Lower

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market crept lower today after a report of the second monthly drop in the government's economic forecasting index.

The opening Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks was down more than a point, and declining issues led those advancing on the New York Stock Exchange.

At the start of the session, the government reported in Washington that its index of leading economic indicators declined 7 per cent in September, equal to the revised drop in August. The index is designed to foretell economic trends.

Also at the opening, Citibank said it is reducing its prime lending rate to 6 1/2 per cent following a similar reduction by Chicago's Continental Illinois National Bank on Thursday.

Early prices today included Chrysler, down 1/4 at 19 1/2; Sears, Roebuck, off 3/4 at 65 1/2; and Northrop, down 3/4 to 43 1/2.

On Thursday, the Dow Jones industrial average slipped 3.49 to 952.63.

Declining New York Stock Exchange issues edged those advancing.

Volume on the Big Board picked up to 16.92 million shares from the 15.79 million traded the day before.

At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index fell .21 to 98.29.

New York Stocks				As quoted by				W.M. C. RONEY & CO., 665 W. MAIN, B.H.			
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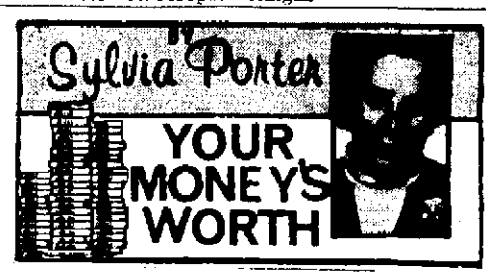
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Second, deductions are completely barred for attendance at more than two allowable foreign conventions. "Foreign" means a convention, seminar or similar meeting held outside the U.S., its possessions and the Pacific Trust Territories.

Third, you must attach a kind of "report card" to your tax return that will enable the IRS to check whether you have complied with the various requirements. This will consist of your written, signed statement, listing the total days of your trip, number of hours you spent at scheduled business activities each day, program of scheduled business activities, etc. The "report card" also must include a written statement signed by an officer of the sponsoring organization including a schedule of the business activities each day, number of hours you attended scheduled activities, etc.

All sponsors of foreign conventions should now be sure to prepare detailed schedules of business activities, take attendance at these activities and furnish essential information statements to those of you attending the convention for attachment to your return.

Talks To Resume

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LEGAL NOTICES

ST. JOSEPH PUBLIC SCHOOLS
NOTICE FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT

The financial report for 1975-76 shows that again we were able to maintain a balanced budget. Data in state aid, reduction in construction due to the state's budget cuts, and a continuing trend in lower expenditures were not successful in spending. The present method of levying state aid money in levies is not sufficient to maintain school districts like ours, which have high effort (more of mile levied for regional and high construction). We hope a new formula will be legislated for the coming year.

After approval of the new mill building and site tax in June 1976, will enable us to do so. We have a hundred thousand dollars in building repairs from that fund, rather than from the general operating fund. The director of the board of education to close Milton Junior High School was necessary by declining, because of enrollment and increased repair and operation costs for that building. Starting in September, 1976 all seventh and eighth grade students will be housed at the Milton Junior High school, now operating at capacity enrollment. The Milton High school will remain closed nine months, twice, we will have over fifteen hundred pupils. We will realize more effective and more efficient use of both these buildings, a move which will help offset rising costs of operation.

Efforts to update and improve our curriculum are continuing. Current needs for all subjects at all grade levels have been completed, and specific objectives should be completed by the end of the 1976-77 school year. This was a major involvement of our teachers and our principals. We must continue to seek the means to implement curriculum innovations, as they are recommended by our professional staff through the Curriculum Committee. We must continue to seek the means to implement curriculum innovations, as they are recommended by our professional staff through the Curriculum Committee. We must continue to seek the means to implement curriculum innovations, as they are recommended by our professional staff through the Curriculum Committee.

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Bernice Schoenfelder
Village Clerk
2893 Bluff St.
Stevensville, MI. 49127
Oct. 22, 29, Nov. 5, 1976 H.P. Adv.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage made the 23rd day of July, 1973, by Louis F. Hennessy and Betty R. Hennessy, husband and wife as mortgagors, to Inter-City Bank, as mortgagee, and recorded on July 31, 1973, in the office of the register of deeds for Berrien County, Michigan, in Liber 958 of mortgages on pages 88-89; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice Seven Thousand Three Hundred Fifty-four and 18/100 Dollars (\$7,354.18) principal and Three Hundred Sixty and 86/100 Dollars (\$360.86) interest; no suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale in said mortgage contained having become operative by reason of such default.

Notice is hereby given that on November 23, 1976, at 11:00 a.m. in the forenoon, at the front door of the courthouse in St. Joseph, Michigan, that being the place for holding the circuit court for the county of Berrien, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale, including an attorney fee of Seventy-five Dollars (\$75.00) provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit:

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SUBJECT to the rights of the

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COMPARATIVE REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT			
FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1976			
		1976	1975
REVENUES:		\$5,052,541	\$4,676,791
Local		1,361,892	889,210
State		3,690,649	3,787,581
Federal		0	0
Other Special Districts		0	0
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DEPT RETIREMENT FUND			
COMPARATIVE REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE STATEMENT			
FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1970			
	1970	1969	
REVENUES			
Tax Levy	\$455,158	\$311,024	
Interest on Investments	214	1,113	
Interest on Investments	74.25	21.50	
TOTAL REVENUE	<u>\$455,446</u>	<u>\$312,148</u>	
EXPENDITURES			
Redemption of serial bonds	\$331,070	\$227,000	
Interest on bonded debt	245,847	218,140	
Fees, exp.	1,055	0	788
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>\$577,972</u>	<u>\$445,140</u>	
FUND EQUITY - End of Year	\$266,950	\$79,541	

NEWS OF MARKETS

Market Slides Lower

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market crept lower today after a report of the second monthly drop in the government's economic forecasting index.

The opening Dow Jones average of 30 industrial stocks was down more than a point, and declining issues led those advancing on the New York Stock Exchange.

At the start of the session, the government reported its index of leading economic indicators declined .7 per cent in September, equal to the revised drop in August. The index is designed to foretell economic trends.

Also at the opening, Citibank said it is reducing its prime lending rate to 6 1/2 per cent following a similar reduction by Chicago's Continental Illinois National Bank on Thursday.

Early prices today included Chrysler, down 1/4 at 19 1/2; Sears, Roebuck, off 3/8 at 63 1/2; and Northrup, down 7/8 to 43 1/2.

On Thursday, the Dow Jones industrial average slipped 3.49 to 952.63.

Declining New York Stock Exchange issues edged those advancing.

Volume on the Big Board picked up to 16.92 million shares from the 15.79 million traded the day before.

At the American Stock Exchange, the market value index fell .21 to 98.29.

Chrysler To Pay 15¢ Dividend

DETROIT (AP) — Chrysler Corp. declared Thursday a fourth-quarter dividend of 15 cents a share, the same as that issued in the prior quarter and only its second payment in nearly two years.

The nation's No. 3 automaker said the dividend would be payable Dec. 10 to shareholders of record Nov. 10.

Although Chrysler has staged a dramatic recovery from a severe two-year slump with record profits this year, it did not restore the fourth-quarter dividend to the pre-recession level of 35 cents a share, as some financial analysts had expected.

Chrysler reported earlier this week that it earned a record \$76.2 million in the third quarter of 1974, eliminated a payment in the following period and did not restore it until the third quarter of this year.

Chrysler Chairman John J. Riccardo said at a news conference Tuesday that despite a return to record earnings, "We're not satisfied with the rate of return that we are making with this company today."

"Our programs are to do a better job," he added. "A 15-cent dividend certainly is not the kind of dividend this company has paid and it's not what we'd like to stay with in the future."

Riccardo declined to say when the firm might increase its dividend.

LOCAL GRAIN

BUCHANAN CO-OP

BUCHANAN, MI.

No. 1 Soybeans, \$6.14 down 1/4

No. 2 Barley, \$1.54 steady

No. 2 Ear Corn, \$2.00 down 1/4

No. 2 Shelled Corn, \$2.05 down 1/4

No. 2 Wheat, \$2.29 down 2/4

Oats, \$1.49 steady

Rye, No bid

Corn for Jan. '77 delivery, \$2.31 down 5/8

These are the markets as of this morning — prior to the opening of the Chicago Board of Trade.

Blasts Russians

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Jacob K. Javits, R-N.Y., says the Soviet Union is failing to honor the human rights provisions of the Helsinki agreement.

New York Stocks

As quoted by
WM. C. RONEY & CO., 665 W. MAIN, B.H.

1976	1976	1976	1976	1976	1976
High	Low	Close	High	Low	Close
61 1/4	38 1/2	Alcoa	54 1/4	78 1/4	57 1/4
44 1/4	33 1/4	Allied Ch	36 1/4	37	35 1/4
38 1/4	30 1/4	Am Can	36 1/4	33	22 1/4
24 1/4	20 1/4	Am Elec Power	23 1/4	36 1/4	25 1/4
4 1/4	4	Am Motors	4	41 1/4	31 1/4
62 1/4	50 1/4	Am Tel & Tel	60 1/4	25 1/4	17 1/4
43 1/4	38 1/4	Am Brands	41 1/4	25 1/4	14 1/4
24 1/4	17 1/4	A.M.F.	19 1/4	66 1/4	52 1/4
31 1/4	17 1/4	Anacost	23 1/4	17	11 1/4
15 1/4	4 1/4	Avco	13 1/4	4 1/4	2 1/4
25 1/4	18 1/4	Ball Corp.	20 1/4	45 1/4	30 1/4
48	33	Beth Steel	37 1/4	41	64 1/4
46 1/4	24 1/4	Boeing	41	64 1/4	49 1/4
18 1/4	11	Brunswick	15 1/4	63 1/4	48 1/4
108 1/4	83 1/4	Burroughs	90	67 1/4	44 1/4
40 1/4	34 1/4	Chesapeake Systems	34 1/4	60 1/4	18 1/4
22 1/4	16 1/4	Chrysler	19 1/4	42 1/4	22 1/4
57 1/4	38 1/4	Citizens Svc	56 1/4	58 1/4	55
31 1/4	23 1/4	Comsat	28 1/4	70 1/4	61 1/4
22 1/4	19	Consumers Power	21 1/4	77 1/4	47 1/4
36	26 1/4	Cont'l Group Inc.	33 1/4	23 1/4	12
54	39 1/4	Dow Chem	42	51 1/4	38 1/4
161 1/4	117 1/4	Du Pont	125 1/4	39 1/4	29 1/4
12 1/4	8 1/4	East Kod	8 1/4	57 1/4	41 1/4
42	30 1/4	Esmark	31 1/4	80 1/4	22 1/4
36 1/4	30 1/4	Exxon	32 1/4	31 1/4	20 1/4
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58 1/4	46	Gen Elec	53	100 1/4	58 1/4
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34 1/4	26 1/4	General Mills	30	2 1/4	1 1/4
74	57 1/4	Gen Motors	73 1/4	10 1/4	7 1/4
30 1/4	23 1/4	Gen Tel & Elec	26 1/4	15 1/4	10
26 1/4	18	Gen Tire	23	57 1/4	45 1/4
38 1/4	25 1/4	Gillette	35 1/4	38 1/4	30 1/4
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21 1/4	16 1/4	IC Ind	18 1/4	19 1/4	13
28 1/4	22 1/4	Int Bus Mch	26 1/4	27 1/4	20 1/4
32 1/4	22 1/4	Int Harv	28 1/4	40 1/4	23 1/4

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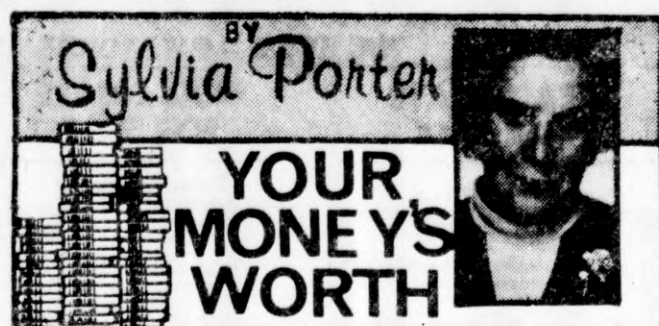
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The spokesman identified the director as Charles Madding and said he and other executives were in their offices Wednesday when workers barred the plant's exits with earth moving equipment.

The dispute involved the elimination of 195 jobs in the plant, which had employed 600 persons.

The workers named a representative to analyze the company's books after announcement of the cutbacks, but he claimed he could not do the job because management refused to cooperate.

The workers then called a strike and blockaded the plant in an effort to compel cooperation.



GAMBLING WINNINGS, FOREIGN CONVENTIONS

If you win more than \$1,000 in a horse race, sweepstakes, lottery, the like, you now may find that 20 per cent of your winnings will be withheld from you and turned over directly to the IRS. This will be similar to your employer withholding income tax from your salary, except that the amount withheld from your gambling winnings will be at a flat 20 per cent rate. The IRS says the winnings from which the '76 Tax Reform Act requires 20 per cent withholding by the payor starting Jan. 3, 1977:

(1) More than \$1,000 received from a wager in a sweepstakes, wagering pool or lottery (except state lotteries). This includes all pari-mutuel betting pools, including on and off-track racing pools, similar types of betting pools.

(2) More than \$5,000 from state-conducted lotteries. This doesn't apply to state-conducted sweepstakes and wagering pools. These are subject to withholding on winnings over \$1,000.

(3) More than \$1,000 received from any other wagering transaction if the odds are at least 300 to 1 or higher.

But winnings from bingo, keno and slot machines are exempt from the withholding.

The amount subject to withholding is based on the net proceeds less the cost of the ticket, taking into account all tickets for identical wagers. For instance, if you place one \$100 bet and two \$50 bets on a single horse to win a single race track event, the track is supposed to total the winnings from all three tickets and subtract the cost of the three tickets to see whether you won over \$1,000 subject to withholding by the track.

(Not explained by Congress is how the track is supposed to know that all three tickets belong to you as you present them at different windows for collection.) For bets you place on different horses or on different events, you determine your net winnings separately for each one.

When you win one of these wagers subject to withholding, the payor will require you to furnish a statement — under penalties of perjury — giving your name, address, taxpayer identification number, and similar data for anyone entitled to share in the winnings.

Important note: retain all your losing tickets or other evidence of your losing wagers, for your gambling losses you had one or more of the big winnings subject to the 20 per cent withholding, you will already have paid tax on your winning wagers. To offset this, you must list the total of your losing wagers as an itemized deduction on your return, and claim the 20 per cent gambling withholding as a credit against your tax for the year. This is the way you will get back the 20 per cent withheld from your winning.

LEGAL NOTICES

St. Joseph Public Schools

REPORT FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT

The financial report for 1975-76 shows that again we were able to maintain a balanced budget. In addition, we were able to reduce the single Business Tax, and a continuing trend in lower enrollment was met by careful cuts in spending. The present method of awarding state aid money to local districts continues to be a source of controversy. We have high hopes that the new formula for the coming year will be more equitable and more efficient.

Approval of the new building and site tax in June 1976, will enable us to pay for more than a hundred thousand dollars in building repairs from that fund, rather than from the general operating fund. The decision of the Board of Education to close Milton Junior High School was made necessary by declining student enrollment and increased repair and operation costs for that building. Starting in September, 1976, all seventh and eighth grade pupils will be housed at the Milton Junior High School, now operating at capacity enrollment. The Senior High School will contain grades nine through twelve, and will have over fifteen hundred pupils. We will realize more effective and more efficient use of both these buildings, a measure which will help offset rising costs of operation.

Efforts to update and upgrade our curriculum are continuing. Present goals for all subjects at all grade levels have been completed, and specific objectives should be completed by the end of the 1976-77 school year. This work is a major responsibility of our teachers and principals. We must continue to seek the means to implement curriculum improvements, as they are recommended by our professional staff through the Curriculum Structure developed last year. Our students and graduates continue to bring credit to our schools through academic achievement in many areas, we want to insure that the quality of education encourages their outstanding performances.

Burt Aldrich

EXHIBIT A

ST. JOSEPH PUBLIC SCHOOLS

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS

June 30, 1976

General Fund

1976	1975	1976	1975
Assets		Liabilities	
Cash in banks	\$ 792,484	Current short-term loans	\$ 500,000
Investment securities	18,446	Accounts payable	475,230
Accounts receivable - federal	134,759	Salaries payable	107,998
Accounts receivable - other	19,374	Accrued expenses	28,476
Taxes receivable	309,321	Due from other funds	0
Inventories	22,139	Prepaid expenditures	5,190
Due from other funds	0	TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,302,173
Prepaid expenditures	5,190		
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,302,173		
		Liabilities	
		Current short-term loans	\$ 500,000
		Accounts payable	475,230
		Salaries payable	107,998
		Accrued expenses	28,476
		Due from other funds	0
		Prepaid expenditures	5,190
		TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,111,824
		DEBT RETIREMENT FUND EQUITY (Deficit)	\$190,349
		Building and Site Fund	
		Assets	
		Cash in banks	\$ 15,302
		Investment securities	9,784
		Taxes receivable	2,391
		Due from other funds	0
		Accrued interest receivable	150
		TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 27,627
		Liabilities	
		Due to other funds	\$ 0
		TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 0
		DEBT RETIREMENT FUND EQUITY	\$27,627

LIABILITIES:		
Due to other funds	\$ 0	\$ 131
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 0	\$ 131
BUILDING AND SITE FUND EQUITY	\$ 27,627	\$ 28,401

EXHIBIT B
ST.

LEGAL NOTICES

(Continued from page 27)

Township Fire Hall in Keeler.
Kenneth Timmons
Clerk
Route 6, Box 493
Dowagiac, Michigan 49847
Oct. 22, 29, 1976 H.P. Adv.

File No. 75-3284-CH

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
FIRST WISCONSIN NATIONAL
BANK OF MILWAUKEE,
Plaintiff,
vs.
SHARFERN, INC., et al.,
Defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a judgment of the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien, State of Michigan, made and entered the 7th day of October, 1976, in this case therein pending, notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public sale to the highest bidder, at the South front entrance to the Berrien County Courthouse in the City of St. Joseph (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said County), on Wednesday the first day of December, 1976, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described property, to wit:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate and being in the Township of Lincoln, County of Berrien and State of Michigan to wit:

The North 5 Acres of the South 15 Acres of that part West of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad R/W. of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 15, Township 5 South, Range 18 West, Lincoln Township, Berrien County, Michigan; Also, Commencing at the West 1/4 corner of Section 15, Township 5 South, Range 18 West Lincoln Township, Berrien County, Michigan; Thence North along the West line of said section 180.9 Feet; Thence North 89° 39' East 956.8 Feet to the C & O Railroad; Thence South 3° 31' West along the West line of said R.R. 181.35 Feet to the East and West 1/4 Line of said section; Thence South 89° 39' West along said 1/4 line 945.8 Feet to the Place of Beginning. Also, Commencing at a point 4.5 Feet South of the West 1/4 corner of said section; Thence North 4.5 Feet to the 1/4 line; Thence North 89° 39' East along said 1/4 line 945.8 Feet to the C&O R.R.; Thence South 3° 31' West 3.0 Feet; Thence South 89° 39' West 945.8 Feet to the Place of Beginning.

Joyce Bucholtz

Deputy Clerk

Berrien County, Michigan
Oct. 22, 29, Nov. 5, 12, 19, 26,
1976
H.P. Adv.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lost And Found 1

LOST SIBERIAN HUSKY
Male, white with black spots, black eyes, black ears, black nose, black tail. Found near Stevensville. Fred Worthy, 429-8985.

LOST - Port Terrier & Bassett Hound.
White with black spots. Male, white, black eyes, black nose, black ears, black tail. Found near Stevensville. Fred Worthy, 429-8985.

LOST - "Boo", female Beagle, black, white, brown, Oct. 21, Area Paw Paw & Riverdale Rd. Reward call 925-4031. Family misses her.

In Memoriam 3

IN MEMORIAM OF OUR
"DAUGHTER"
Three years have passed since that sad day when Rhonda vanished out of sight. I ask myself, Oh dear God why? Does someone so sweet to everyone have to die. Silent thoughts and secret tears. Are kept through out the lonely years.

Walter & Edna, Glenda Brown, Rita Fleming, Brother Bruce, Children, Tammy & Shannon Pecoraro.

Monuments—Cemetery Lots 4

PERSONALS 5

FREE ONE WEEK Trial Membership.
Call PLAZA SPA now for rest and relaxation. Ph. 925-1488. Offer Expires Oct. 31, 1976.

HELEN.
If you'll come home, I'll straighten out and I'll buy you anything you want. Let me know in next Fri. Personal Column. Ralph

NEED SOMEONE
TO TALK OVER A PROBLEM WITH?
Berrien County has a FREE
Volunteer phone service with
counseling by phone. Call
HELP LINE 927-4447 or Toll
Free 1-800-447-2245.

Special Notices 6

NEED PRIVATE 1 unclean facilities for
25 or more? Call Captain's Table.
927-4470. Mr. Nelson.

OUR TRAINEES and Junior designers
are now giving 50 and 75 percent off in our
Colonio Shop. LION & RAM. Phone for
appointment. 468-6746.

MASTER TAILOR - Seamstress now
available for all types of sewing, altera-
tions or detailed sewing. Ph. 465-3625 ask
for Mary.

WOULD LIKE TO BUY - 3 Ton Chevy
Van. 1972-1975. Call 926-2777 anytime.

THIS IS GOING TO BE A SCARY YEAR. Ladies
hand printed scarves in many designs of
\$2.50. Florio or Corrali, Catts, S.J.

REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE

Houses For Sale 7

3 BEDROOM BI-LEVEL
Just 2 Blocks from Lakeshore
Elementary School. Sliding glass
doors in the sundeck off the dining
room. The kitchen has lots of
cupboards with built-ins, a nice
living room and family room, 1 1/2
baths, 2 car garage. An immaculate
home at \$24,900.

BRIGHTUP

926-9893

Member of Multiple Listing Service

REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE

Houses For Sale 7

3 BEDROOM BRICK RANCH - In H.M. Full
basement. On large corner lot. \$24,900 or
\$5,000 down & assume land contract. Ph.
925-7186.



LOW DOWN PAYMENT

3658. Empire east of Crystal offers
1/2 acre country setting. Low
maintenance exterior, full
basement, gas utilities and 2 car
garage. \$18,200.

LOW DOWN PAYMENT

4816. South end of Monroe features
3 bedroom Cape Cod at \$16,400. 3 1/2
bathrooms, rec room, lower east
gas utilities, aluminum siding,
above-ground pool and 1 1/2 car
garage.

LOW DOWN PAYMENT

4563. 1200 block of Bishop. For the
large family, this 4 bedroom has
the room. Built-in dishwasher in
kitchen, full basement, garage and
127 ft. deep lot.

LOW DOWN PAYMENT

4121. Cute 2 bedroom on Columbus
for only \$9,800. Enclosed porch, full
basement, gas utilities, and 1 1/2 car
garage. See this value NOW!

LOW DOWN PAYMENT

4157. Immaculate 2 bedroom in
1000 block of Columbus. Eat-in
kitchen, formal dining room, full
basement, enclosed and paneled
porch, garage and attractive yard
all for \$12,900. Need we say more?
Call today.

For the buyer with good credit and
steady employment we can help
you finance the above homes on
FHA, VA or possible land contract.
Call us. We have the know-how.

FISTER & CLEMENTS
983-7395

KECHKAYLO
"Brightest Your Future"

MUST SELL
40-3651. 3-4 Bedroom two level
brick home on three acres.
Has completely built-in
kitchen, carpeting, attached
extra large paneled two car
garage, plus 8x15 tool shed.
Beautiful view and in Water-
vliet district. \$35,800.

ATTENTION BUILDERS!
40-4531. 131.5' x 165' building
site located in Water-
vliet. Zoned as residential and in
Colonia Schools. Good invest-
ment. You see this to
appreciate it. \$3,500.

COMMON CENTS
40-4530. Will get you this 3-4
bedroom two story home lo-
cated on the river. Has a good
garden spot for green thumbs and
is in a great location. Two car
garage, large dining room,
and super big utility room.
\$21,500.

GETTING MARRIED?
100-4253. Then this two
bedroom New Moon Mobile
home is just perfect. New
carpet, nice large lot, pretty
setting. In very good condition
and priced at a low, low \$6,500.

RELO.
MLS
KECHKAYLO
REAL ESTATE
COLOMA
468-3138

LAKE MICHIGAN
983-6385

PRICE REDUCED
on this REMODELED 3 bed-
room home on approximately
ONE 1/2 ACRE of land lo-
cated in Lakeshore area. COUN-
TRY size kitchen 12x15 Plus
dining room, 2 bedrooms on
1st floor, 15x18 bedroom up,
1 1/2 baths, full basement and
2 car garage with electric
door opener. Call today for
appointment to see this fully
carpeted home just reduced to
\$11,700. Home is
VACANT!!

4 BEDROOMS
Let your family enjoy the
2340 sq. ft. of living area in
this lovely home located on
Pontiac Road. Family fun for
all in this 13x22 family room -
formal dining room for
special guests - 26 ft. kitchen
with more dining area and
lots of built-ins - a com-
fortable evening in the living
room around the fireplace -
all bedrooms and full bath on
2nd floor, half bath down,
full basement with "rec"
room and large carport.
Owner has hooked up to city
water and paid this assess-
ment in full. Lovely setting
lot 120x140. Available for
showing anytime at your con-
venience. Listed in the low
40's.

904 MAIN ST., ST. JOE

MLS
REALTOR

3 BEDROOM BI-LEVEL
Just 2 Blocks from Lakeshore
Elementary School. Sliding glass
doors in the sundeck off the dining
room. The kitchen has lots of
cupboards with built-ins, a nice
living room and family room, 1 1/2
baths, 2 car garage. An immaculate
home at \$24,900.

BRIGHTUP
926-9893

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REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE

Houses For Sale 7

BETTER LIVING
Your Home Plus A Beautiful
Recreation Area!



Camelot Place
Condominiums of St. Joseph
Ph. 429-6400
2500 S. Cleveland, St. Joseph

STOP

NEVER PROMISED A ROSE GARDEN? This
home doesn't know that. Three
bedrooms on large corner lot,
formal dining, modern kitchen in-
cluding dishwasher & garbage
disposal. Living room has large
fireplace. Large full basement for
entertaining. 2 1/2 car garage, in-
sulated & paneled. Outside, a
redwood privacy fence encloses
patio with grill. All colors of roses
on all sides. Very nice neighbor-
hood. St. Joseph township. Low
40's.

VERY NICE RIVE BEDROOM HOME with
formal dining, built-in kitchen.
This home is immaculate through-
out. Three baths, full basement, 2
car garage, city convenience.
Priced in mid 30's.

LARGE FIVE BEDROOM HOME on main st.
in Watervliet. Could be commercial
spot. Also has extra lot extending to
river. City water & sewer already
installed. Garage & also second
building on property once used for
commercial business. Even though
home is in need of repair, this is a
good investment priced in mid 20's.

WEEKENDS OR AFTER HOURS
PLEASE CALL PG AT HOME
463-7394

S.T.O.P.
REAL ESTATE
463-4079
349 Main St., Watervliet

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real estate service
1014 MAIN ST. • ST. JOSEPH, MICH.

Some Slanting Lots
Cost Like THE DEVIL
We Sell For Less
And On THE LEVEL.

MEAT THREE BEDROOM
No. 70-4316. Near 3 bedrm.
ranch with full basement, gas
heat, Fairplain schools. Also has
garage. Only \$14,900. Call
Elise Pavides to see this home.

JUST LISTED
No. 70-5136. You'll love this
super clean ranch home in
Schels. Master bath, extra
large family room, stove and
refrigerator, maintenance free
exterior. Plus a one bedroom
apartment in the lower level
with separate entrance. One
acre. Call Judy Ruff at 429-
1824.

DEWEY LAKE -
BUILDING SITE
No. 60-4396. We are offering
one of the very few remaining
building sites on one of the
Sister Lakes. This lot has 61
feet of frontage on Dewey Lake
Channel. Many nice shade
trees and a beautiful view are
here!

HANDY MAN SPECIAL
No. 70-5174. 2 bedroom home.
Needs redecorating and clean-
ing. Could be a nice home for
someone for just \$8,000.

ACREAGE
No. 100-1241. 20 acres of woods,
creeks and hills-or will sell in
10 acre parcels. Excellent for
that secluded country home
you've always wanted. Call
Gary Barrick at 429-7817.

2 BEDROOM
MODERN HOME
No. 100-3899. Large dining
area, completely furnished
with the necessary items. And
the best part is terms. Why
rent when you can own and
park it where you want!

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REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE

Houses For Sale 7

BY OWNER - 4 bedrm., 1 1/2 baths, 2 story
house in excellent St. Joseph location. Up-
kitchen with extra room, separate dining
rm., full bath, attached garage. Walking
distance to schools, shopping & hospital.
Call 931-3679 for appt.



BRICK RANCH
Three bedroom ranch located in
Hagar Township. Living room with
fireplace, finished rec room with
2nd fireplace, Central Air. Two car
attached garage and setting in a
good residential area on a larger
lot. Excellent Condition. PRICED
in the HIGH 30's.

3 1/2 ACRE
Three bedroom ranch with family
room and fireplace. Two car
attached garage and also has a 20 x
40 heated swimming pool. Located
in Coloma Twp. PRICED at \$19,800.

UNIQUE RANCH
1800 sq. ft. rancher of excellent
quality and condition. Very unique
plan. Features three bedrooms,
2 1/2 baths, family room with
fireplace, formal dining, full
basement with finished rec room
and attached garage. Located in
Coloma Twp. Just a short distance
from city limits. Owners Trans-
ferred Out of State. JUST
REDUCED TO \$45,900.

COMMERCIAL
Three bedroom home in good
condition with one acre on Red
Arrow Hwy. Also has a 20 x 56
commercial building with separate
entrance and a smaller building that
is perfect for a fruitstand. Owners
Retired. Watervliet Twp. PRICED
IN THE HIGH 30's.

SWIM POOL, 3-BED.
2 1/2 BATHS \$41,900.
23 x 19 1/2 FAMILY RM.
Newer Ranch-Style Brick with
Fireplace & Dining Room with 1794
Sq. Ft., Large 20 x 15 1/2 Living Rm.
with Vestibule, guest closet, picture
window, New wall-to-wall Carpeting
and an L-shaped Dining Rm. with
carpeting, chandelier and glass
thermo slide doors. Kitchen that
makes all meals & snacks easy to
do. 2 walls of Pecan Cabinets,
snack bar, double oven & range,
dishwasher, 2 door 22 Cu. Ft.
Refrigerator, new cushioned
Congalation flooring. Family Rm. is
a dream come true! About 20 x 16 1/2
with massive Brick Fireplace with
beamed mantle, "Moon Rock"
ceiling, new carpeting, extra-large
glass thermo slide doors to Patio. 3
Large Bedrooms... 13 x 12, 12 x 12,
12 x 10 with big double closets with
lights, 2 linen closets, 2 1/2 Baths.
Cubby Rm. with walnut cabinets.
Extra mud room at Garage en-
trance about 14 x 6 with huge
storage closet. Attached 2-car
Garage paneled. Extra big back
yard all fenced with 5 ft. high chain
link fence costing about \$1590.
Swimming Pool & Equipment.
Very large landscaped lot with
Crimson & Birch trees. Located in
the Berrien Springs area off U.S.
31. A home you'll be proud of.
\$41,900.

NEEDS LITTLE FIXING
BARGAIN PRICED!!
FAIRPLAIN, ST. JOE TWP.
2-BED., \$15,900.
Attractive Ranch Style Home on
large lot with big beautiful Maple
trees and lots of shrubbery. Nice
large 17 1/2 x 12 Living Rm. with
huge Colonial-style picture
window. 2 good-sized Bedrooms
with big closets, carpet & good cross
ventilation. Linen closet. Bath has
Ceramic tile. Kitchen has whole
wall of Cabinets & nice eating area
at window. Full Basement, gas
furnace & hot water heater,
Breakway and Big Attached
Garage. Needs some fixing and
decorating. Owner must sell due to
job change. Offers may be enter-
tained.
#120

DUPLEX LOTS
CITY WATER & SEWER
\$4000!
Two beautiful large lots with city
water & city sewer and paved
streets. All assessments for water,
sewer & streets paid. Excellent
location & schools. Located a ways
south of Stevensville. One lot is 92 x
132 for \$4000, the other lot is 100 x
132 for \$4000. Zoning is for multiple
family dwelling, so maybe more
than 2 apts. could be built on each
lot. Area in dire need of rentals.

SPECIAL!!
THREE OAKS
MODERN BUNGALOW
2-CAR GARAGE, \$19,900
Located in one of the finest areas
of Three Oaks. Some constructed
Bungalow with large 21 x 13 Living
Rm. and also has a large Front
Porch. Nice large Bedrooms, 14 x 11
& 11 x 10 with large closets. Lovely
Kitchen 16 x 10 1/2 with whole wall of
Birch Cabinets and large eating
area. Full Basement, city water &
sewer. Big 24 x 21 2-car Garage.
Nice lawn with big yard. Close to
shopping. Price now is \$19,900.!!

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REAL ESTATE
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Houses For Sale 7

BY OWNER - Remodeled Duplex with
each ca. 4 1/2 acres \$35,500. Front apt. just
located. Can finance with reasonable
downpayment. 944-1775.

SPACIOUS 3 BEDRM. - Brick ranch on
lovely free lined street. Family room,
fireplace, extra large kitchen dining
area. 3 1/2 baths, rec. room, patio, 2 car
garage. Excellent Stevensville neigh-
borhood. High 40's \$29,745.

ELECTION SPECIAL!
V.A. TERMS!
For only \$10,500 you can own this
aluminum-sided Bungalow. With a
22 Foot Carpeted Living Room, 2
Bedrooms, Kitchen & Bath with
new floor covering. Full Basement,
newly rebuilt furnace, Garage,
chain-link fence, new concrete
drive, many large trees & shrubs &
low taxes of \$290. per year, this
home is ideal for the budget-
conscious.

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FOR ALL YOUR REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

8 ACRES
No. 241...of land on John Beers Road in Lakeshore. Zoned for agriculture.
Call for more information. \$13,800.

"THE PONDS"
No. 255...This 3 bedroom brick ranch is located in an exclusive area of St.
Joseph. It features 2 1/2 baths including the master bath, formal dining
room, fireplace in the living room, built-in kitchen, carpeting thruout & 2-
car garage. See this lovely home on a fantastic lot. \$65,900.

JUST REDUCED
No. 270...Call now to see this 4 bedroom bi-level located by St. Joseph
schools. Features 1 1/2 baths, family room, built-in kitchen w/lot of extras.
Carpeting, central air, 2 sets sliders to patio & city water & sewer. A must
to see! \$43,500.

ALPINE RIDGE LOCATION
No. 275...3-4 bedroom brick ranch in one of the most lovely areas of
Stevensville, includes 2 baths, family room, fireplace in living room, built-
in kitchen with all new appliances, central air, carpet, rec. room in
basement, garage & patio. Prime condition! Only \$47,900.

JUST REDUCED
No. 277...Lovely 3 bedroom home comes complete with 1 1/2 baths, dining
room, built-in kitchen, breakfast nook, rec. room with bar in full
basement, new storm windows and screens upstairs and new carpeting.
Call today! \$27,500.

IT'S FINALLY ARRIVED
No. 285...The home you've been waiting for! Beautiful 3 bedroom Brick
Ranch with great landscaping. Formal dining room, family room with
fireplace, master bath, kitchen with extras, carpeted thruout, full
basement, 2-car garage, patio & fenced yard with underground sprinkling
system. Call now to see. \$35,900.

JUST LISTED
No. 286...2 bedroom Cape Cod home in Lakeshore. Features dining room,
family room, carpeting, full basement, new furnace & new roof. Close to
schools & shopping. ONLY \$24,900.

CAROL ORLASKE 429-4966
CONNIE GAIN 429-8474
MARK HAWKS 429-1934
SHIRLEY HOFFMANN 429-1088
ROMA YOPS 422-1624

RED ARROW
REALTY
LOCATED IN VILLAGE SQUARE
PHONE 429-6127

5868 PONDEROSA
OFF JOHN BEERS

All brick with view of back yard showing redwood deck
and actually a two story house from rear. 3 or 4
bedrooms, fireplace in 39 ft. family room, central air,
2 1/2 baths, over 3000 sq. ft. finished floor area plus
basement area. 2 car garage.

'48,900.

2875 ROBINHOOD DR.
STEVENSVILLE

All brick ranch, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, fireplace in
family room, kitchen has stove, refrig. and dishwasher.
Full basement with finished rec room.

'48,500.

Picture Not Available. Brick 3 bedroom Colonial Ranch
with family room, fireplace, double garage, full
basement with finished rec room. Stevensville.

'41,900.

THE JUNG AGENCY
429-6800
AFTER 6 P.M. CALL: 429-3502 or 429-9589

REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE

Houses For Sale 7

BY OWNER - Brideman area. 2 1/2 years
old. 3 bedrm, 1 1/2 bath, maintenance free
brick & alum. Tubal electric. Completely
carpeted incl. kitchen with all built-ins.
1 1/2 baths, 2 car garage with elec. door
opener. \$29,000. By appt only. Phone
465-9149.

EXTRA LARGE - Living Room 3
bedrm. Lge. kitchen. Quiet street. Won-
derful buy. New furnace. \$37,950! or
\$21,900. 925-5769.

LAKE SHORE SCHOOLS - 3 or 4 bedrm.
bi-level home 7 yrs. old. Large barn,
our building, asparagus picker. 31 acres.
Call 925-4251.

FOR SALE - Coloma school district. 3 or
4 bedrm home 7 yrs. old. Large barn,
our building, asparagus picker. 31 acres.
Call 925-4251.

EXTRA LARGE - Living Room 3
bedrm. Lge. kitchen. Quiet street. Won-
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LEGAL NOTICES

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Township Fire Hall in Keeler.
Kenneth Timmons
Clerk
Route 6, Box 493
Dowagiac, Michigan 49047
Oct. 22, 29, 1976 H.P. Adv.

File No. 75-3284-CH
NOTICE OF SALE
STATE OF MICHIGAN
THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR
THE COUNTY OF BERRIEN
FIRST WISCONSIN NATIONAL
BANK OF MILWAUKEE,
Plaintiff,
vs.
SHARFERN, INC., et al.,
Defendants.

In pursuance and by virtue of a judgment of the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien, State of Michigan, made and entered the 7th day of October, 1976, in this case therein pending, notice is hereby given that I shall sell at public sale to the highest bidder, at the South front entrance to the Berrien County Courthouse in the City of St. Joseph (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said County), on Wednesday the first day of December, 1976, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described property, to wit:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate and being in the Township of Lincoln, County of Berrien and State of Michigan to wit:

The North 5 Acres of the South 15 Acres of that part West of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad R/W, of the Southwest 1/4 of the Northwest 1/4 of Section 15, Township 5 South, Range 19 West, Lincoln Township, Berrien County, Michigan; Also, Commencing at the West 1/4 corner of Section 15, Township 5 South, Range 19 West Lincoln Township, Berrien County, Michigan; Thence North along the West line of said section 180.9 Feet; Thence North 89° 39' East 956.9 Feet to the C & O Railroad; Thence South 3° 31' West along the West line of said R.R. 181.35 Feet to the East and West 1/4 Line of said section; Thence South 89° 39' West along said 1/4 line 945.8 Feet to the Place of Beginning. Also, Commencing at a point 4.5 Feet South of the West 1/4 corner of said section; Thence North 4.5 Feet to the 1/4 line; Thence North 89° 39' East along said 1/4 line 945.8 Feet to the C&O R.R.; Thence South 3° 31' West 3.0 Feet; Thence South 89° 39' West 945.8 Feet to the Place of Beginning.

Joyce Bucholtz
Deputy Clerk
Berrien County, Michigan
Oct. 22, 29, Nov. 5, 12, 19, 26, 1976
H.P. Adv.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lost And Found 1

LOST SIBERIAN HUSKY
Male, vicinity of Fairplain
Ph. 926-7845

LOST - Part Terrier & Basset Hound
White with black spots, Male, vicinity of Stevensville. Fred Watts, 429-8985.

LOT - "Bob", female Beagle, black, white, brown, Oct. 21, Area Paw Paw & Riverside Rd. Reward call 925-4031. Family misses her.

In Memoriam 3

IN MEMORIAM OF OUR "DAUGHTER"

Three years has passed since that sad night
When Rhonda vanished out of sight.
I ask myself, Oh dear God why?
Does someone so sweet to everyone have to die.
Silent thoughts and secret tears,
Are kept through out the lonely years.
Mother & Dad
Sisters Pam Evans, Glorinda Brown, Rita Fleming, Brothers Bruce, Children, Tammy & Shannon Pecora

Monuments—Cemetery Lots 4

Personals 5

FREE ONE WEEK Trial Membership.
Call PLAZA SPA now for rest and relaxation. Ph. 925-1488. Offer Expires Oct. 31, 1976.

HELEN.
If you'll come home, I'll straighten out and I'll buy you anything you want. Let me know in next Fri. Personal Column. Ralph

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TO TALK OVER A PROBLEM WITH?
Berrien County has a FREE
Volunteer phone service with
people trained to listen. Call
HELP LINE 927-4447 or Toll
free 1-800-442-2245.

Special Notices 6

NEED PRIVATE Luncheon facilities for 25 or more? Call Captain's Table, 927-2421, Mr. Nelson.

OUR TRAINEES and Junior designers are now giving \$4 and \$7 haircuts in our Coloma Shop, LION & RAM. Phone for appt. 468-6746.

MASTER TAILOR - Seamstress now available for all types of sewing, alterations or detailed sewing. Ph. 465-3625 ask for Marly.

WOULD LIKE TO BUY - 1/2 Ton Chevy Van, 1972-1975. Call 926-2272 anytime.

THIS IS GOING to be a scary year. Ladies hand printed scarves in many designs of \$2.50. Find at Carroll Crafts, S.J.

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Houses For Sale 7

3 BEDROOM BI-LEVEL

Just 2 Blocks from Lakeshore Elementary School. Sliding glass doors to the sundeck off the dining room. The kitchen has lots of cupboards with built-ins, a nice living room and family room, 1 1/2 baths, 2 car garage. An immaculate home at \$34,900.

BRIGHTUP

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Houses For Sale 7

3 BEDRM. BRICK RANCH - in B.H. Full basement. On large corner lot. \$24,000 or \$5,000 down & assume land contract. Ph. 925-7166.



LOW DOWN PAYMENT

3858. Empire east of Crystal offers 1/2 acre country setting. Low maintenance exterior, full basement, gas utilities and 2 car garage. \$18,200.

LOW DOWN PAYMENT

4816. South end of Monroe features 3 bedroom Cape Cod at \$16,400. 3 1/2 bath, full basement, lower cost gas utilities, aluminum siding, above-ground pool and 1 1/2 car garage.

LOW DOWN PAYMENT

4564. 1200 block of Bishop. For the large family, this 4 bedroom has the room. Built-in dishwasher in kitchen, full basement, garage and 127 ft. deep lot.

LOW DOWN PAYMENT

4424. Cute 2 bedroom on Columbus for only \$9,000! Enclosed porch, full basement, gas utilities and 1 1/2 car garage. See this value NOW!

LOW DOWN PAYMENT

5157. Immaculate 2 bedroom in 1000 block of Columbus. Eat-in kitchen, formal dining room, full basement, enclosed and paneled porch, garage and attractive yard all for \$12,900. Need we say more? Call today.

For the buyer with good credit and steady employment we can help you finance the above homes on FHA, VA or possible land contract. Call us. We have the know-how.

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REALTORS
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2614 NILES AVENUE
ST. JOSEPH

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REAL ESTATE COMPANY
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MUST SELL

40-3851. 3-4 Bedroom two level brick home on three acres. Has completely built-in kitchen, carpeting, attached extra large paneled two car garage, plus 8x16 tool shed. Beautiful view and in Watervliet district. \$55,400.

ATTENTION BUILDERS!

40-4531...131.5' x 165' building site located in Hagar Twp. Zoned as residential and in Coloma Schools. Good investment. You have to see this to appreciate it. \$3,500.

COMMON CENTS

40-4530. Will get you this 3-4 bedroom two story home located on the river. Has a good garden spot for green thumbs and is in a great location. Two car garage, large dining room, and super big utility room. \$21,500.

GETTING MARRIED?

100-4253. Then this two bedroom New Moon Mobile home is just perfect. New carpet, nice large lot, pretty setting. In very good condition and priced at a low, low \$6,500.

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COLOMA

468-3138

Lake Michigan REALTY

983-6385

PRICE REDUCED

on this REMODELED 3 bedroom home on approximately ONE 2/3 ACRE of land located in Lakeshore area. COUNTRY size kitchen 12x15 Plus dining room, 2 bedrooms on 1st floor, 15x18 bedroom up, 1 1/2 baths, full basement and 2 car garage with electric door opener. Call today for appointment to see this fully carpeted home just reduced to \$31,700. Home is VACANT!!

4 BEDROOMS

Let your family enjoy the 2340 sq. ft. of living area in this lovely home located on Pontiac Road. Family fun for all in this 13x22 family room - formal dining room for special guests - 26 ft. kitchen with more dining area and lots of built-ins - a comfortable evening in the living room around the fireplace - all bedrooms and full bath on 2nd floor, half bath down, full basement with "rec" room and large carpet. Owner has hooked up to city water and paid this assessment in full. Lovely shaded lot 130x140. Available for showing anytime at your convenience. Listed in the low 40's.

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NEVER PROMISED A ROSE GARDEN?

This home doesn't know that. Three bedrooms on large corner lot, formal dining, modern kitchen including dishwasher & garbage disposal. Living room has huge fireplace. Large full basement for entertaining. 2 1/2 car garage, insulated & paneled. Outside, a redwood privacy fence encloses patio with grill. All colors of roses on all sides. Very nice neighborhood. St. Joseph township. Low 40's.

VERY NICE FIVE BEDROOM HOME

with formal dining, built-in kitchen. This home is immaculate throughout. Three baths, full basement, 2 car garage, city convenience. Priced in mid 30's.

LARGE FIVE BEDROOM HOME

on main st. in Watervliet. Could be commercial spot. Also has extra lot extending to river. City water & sewer already installed. Garage & also second building on property once used for commercial business. Even though home is in need of repair, this is a good investment priced in mid 20's.

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349 Main St., Watervliet

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JUST LISTED

No. 70-3156. You'll love this super clean ranch home in Sedus. Master bath, extra large family room, stove and refrigerator, maintenance free exterior. Plus a one bedroom apartment in the lower level with separate entrance. One acre. Call Judy Ruff at 429-1824.

DEWEY LAKE - BUILDING SITE

No. 60-3466. We are offering one of the very few remaining building sites on one of the Sister Lakes. This lot has 61 feet of frontage on Dewey Lake Channel. Many nice shade trees and a beautiful view are here!

HANDY MAN SPECIAL

No. 70-5174. 2 bedroom home. Needs redecorating and cleaning. Could be a nice home for someone for just \$8,000.

ACREAGE

No. 10-1244. 20 acres of woods, crooks and hills-or will sell in 10 acre parcels. Excellent for that secluded country home you've always wanted. Call Gary Barrick at 429-7617.

2 BEDROOM MOBILE HOME

No. 100-3899. Large dining area, completely furnished with the necessary items. And the best part is terms. Why rent when you can own and park it where you want!

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses For Sale 7

BY OWNER - 4 bedrm., 1 1/2 baths, 2 story home in excellent. St. Joseph location. Loe. kitchen with eating area, separate dining rm., full bath, attached porch. Walking distance to schools, shopping & hospital. Call 983-3879 for appt.

SULKO

FIRST OFFERED

Sharp two bedroom home located in the city of Watervliet. Two car attached garage and setting on a large lot. PRICED at \$23,900.

BRICK RANCH

Three bedroom ranch located in Hagar Township. Living room with fireplace, finished rec room with 2nd fireplace, Central Air. Two car attached garage and setting in a good residential area on a larger lot. Excellent Condition. PRICED in the HIGH \$30's.

3/4 ACRE

Three bedroom ranch with family room and fireplace. Two car attached garage and also has a 20 X 40 heated swimming pool. Located in Coloma Twp. PRICED at \$40,000.

UNIQUE RANCH

1800 sq. ft. rancher of excellent quality and condition. Very unique plan. Featuring three bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room with fireplace, formal dining, full basement with finished rec room and attached garage. Located in Coloma Twp. just a short distance from city limits. Owners Transferred Out of State. JUST REDUCED TO \$45,900.

COMMERCIAL

Three bedroom home in good condition with one acre on Red Arrow Hwy. Also has a 20 X 60 commercial building with separate access and a smaller building that is perfect for a fruitstand. Owners Retired. Watervliet Twp. PRICED in the HIGH \$30's.

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Red Arrow Hwy. & Bus. 1-94 Coloma

NEWMAN

SWIM POOL, 3-BED.

2 1/2 BATHS \$41,900.
23 X 19 1/2 FAMILY RM.

Newer Ranch-Style Brick with Fireplace & Dining Room with 1794 Sq. Ft. Large 20 X 15 1/2 Living Rm. with Vestibule, guest closet, picture window. New wall-to-wall carpeting and an L-shaped Dining Rm. with carpeting, chandelier and glass Thermo slide doors. Kitchen that makes all meals & snacks easy to do! 2 walls of Pecan Cabinets, snack bar, double oven & range, dishwasher, 2 door 22 Cu. Ft. Refrigerator, new cushioned Convolium flooring. Family Rm. is a dream come true! About 23 X 19 1/2 with massive Brick Fireplace with beamed mantle, "Moon Rock" ceiling, new carpeting, extra-large glass thermo slide doors to Patio. 3 Large Bedrooms, 13 X 12, 12 X 12, 12 X 10 with big double closets with lights, 2 linen closets, 2 1/2 Baths, Utility Rm. with walnut cabinets. Extra mud room at Garage entrance about 14 X 6 with huge storage closet. Attached 2-car Garage paneled. Extra big back yard all fenced with 5 ft. high chain link fence costing about \$1500. Swimming Pool & Equipment. Very large landscaped lot with Crimson & Birch trees. Located in the Berrien Springs area off U.S. 31. A home you'll be proud of! \$41,900.

NEEDS LITTLE FIXING

BARGAIN PRICED!!
FAIRPLAIN, ST. JOE TWP.
2-BED., \$15,900.

Attractive Ranch Style Home on large lot with big beautiful Maple trees and lots of shrubbery. Nice large 17 1/2 X 12 Living Rm. with huge Colonial-style picture window. 2 good-sized Bedrooms with big closets, carpet & good cross ventilation. Linen closet. Bath has Ceramic tile. Kitchen has whole wall of Cabinets & nice eating area at window. Full Basement, gas furnace & hot water heater. Brocade and Big Attached Garage. Needs some fixing and decorating. Owner must sell due to job change. Offers may be entertained. aE20

DUPLIX LOTS

CITY WATER & SEWER
\$4000!

Two beautiful large lots with city water & city sewer and paved streets. All assessments for water, sewer & streets paid. Excellent location & schools. Located a ways south of Stevensville. One lot is 92 X 132 for \$4000, the other lot is 100 X 132 for \$5000. Zoning is for multiple family dwelling, so maybe more than 2 apts. could be built on each lot. Area in dire need of rentals.

SPECIAL!!!

THREE OAKS
MODERN BUNGALOW
2-CAR GARAGE, \$19,900

Located in one of the nicest areas of Three Oaks. Sound-conditioned Bungalow with large 21 X 13 Living Rm. and also has a large Front Porch. Nice large Bedrooms, 14 X 11 & 11 X 10 with large closets. Lovely Kitchen 16 X 10 1/2 with whole wall of Birch Cabinets and large eating area. Full Basement, city water & sewer. Big 24 X 24 2-car Garage. Nice lawn with big yard. Close to shopping. Price now is \$19,900.!!

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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BY OWNER - Remodeled Duplex with approx. 4 1/2 acres. \$35,000. Front apt. just vacated. Can finance with reasonable downpayment. 944-1776.

SPACIOUS 3 BEDRM. - Brick ranch on lovely free lined street. Family room, fireplace, extra large kitchen dining area 1 1/2 baths, rec. room, patio, 2 car garage. Excellent Stevensville neighborhood. High 40's. 429-7457.

ELECTION SPECIAL!

V.A. TERMS!

For only \$10,500 you can own this aluminum-sided Bungalow. With a 22 Foot Carpeted Living Room, 2 Bedrooms, Kitchen & Bath with new floor covering. Full Basement, newly rebuilt furnace, Garage, chain-link fence, new concrete drive, many large trees & shrubs & low taxes of \$295 per year, this home is ideal for the budget-conscious.

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8 ACRES

No. 244. Land on John Beers Road in Lakeshore. Zoned for agriculture. Call for more information. \$13,800.

"THE PONDS"

No. 258. This 3 bedroom brick ranch is located in an exclusive area of St. Joseph. It features 2 1/2 baths including the master bath, formal dining room, fireplace in the living room, built-in kitchen, carpeting throughout & 2-car garage. See this lovely home on a fantastic lot. \$65,900.

JUST REDUCED

No. 270. Call now to see this 4 bedroom bi-level located by St. Joseph schools. Features 1 1/2 baths, family room, built-in kitchen w/ lots of extras. Carpeting, central air, 2 sets sliders to patio & city water & sewer. A must to see! \$43,500.

ALPINE RIDGE LOCATION

No. 275. 3-4 bedroom brick ranch in one of the most lovely areas of Stevensville. Includes 2 baths, family room, fireplace in living room, built-in kitchen with all new appliances, central air, carpet, rec. room in basement, garage & patio. Prime condition! Only \$47,900.

JUST REDUCED

No. 277. Lovely 3 bedroom home comes complete with 1 1/2 baths, dining room, built-in kitchen, breakfast nook, rec. room with bar in full basement, new storm windows and screens upstairs and new carpeting. Call today! \$27,500.

IT'S FINALLY ARRIVED

No. 285. The home you've been waiting for. Beautiful 3 bedroom Brick Ranch with great landscaping. Formal dining room, family room with fireplace, master bath, kitchen with extras, carpeted throughout, full basement, 2-car garage, patio & fenced yard with underground sprinkling system. Call now to see. \$38,900.

JUST LISTED

No. 286. 2 bedroom Cape Cod home in Lakeshore. Features dining room, family room, carpeting, full basement, new furnace & new roof. Close to schools & shopping. ONLY \$24,900.

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\$48,900.

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All brick ranch, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, fireplace in family room, kitchen has stove, refrig. and dishwasher. Full basement with finished rec room.

\$48,500.

Picture Not Available. Brick 3 bedroom Colonial Ranch with family room, fireplace, double garage, full basement with finished rec room. Stevensville.

\$41,900.

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429-6800
AFTER 6 P.M. CALL: 429-3502 or 429-9589

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BY OWNER - Bridgman area. 2 1/2 years old. 3 bedrm. tri-level, maintenance free brick & plum. Total electric. Completely carpeted incl. Kitchen with oil built-ins. 1 1/2 baths. 2 car garage with elec. door opener. \$39,000. By appt only. Phone 465-5749.

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Beautiful view, has concrete slab, gas heat & electric. Land
contract. \$9,500.

1314...BUILDING SITE IN HARTFORD-2 lots. \$3,400.

1315...YEAR-ROUND LAKE HOME. 87' frontage, walk-out
basement, nice porch & pier. \$32,450.

1323...80 ACRE HOG & CATTLE FARM, large barn, insul.
building, pond, 125 hogs, 16 head of cattle, plus 4 bedroom
home, fireplace and extras. \$99,500.

364...ABOUT AN ACRE with large home at edge of Lawrence-
fireplace & large rec. room. Priced... \$25,000.

361...BEGINNER 2 BEDROOM HOME in Hartford. Price...
\$6,950.

362...A SHARPIE on a corner lot in South Haven, Full
basement, fireplace & large glassed in porch. For only...
\$29,500.

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family room, overhead storage and separate 1 1/2 car garage. \$64,900.

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Just a real large home on a creek lined with hundreds of pine trees.
Fireplace in carpeted living room, 27 ft. deep two car garage, plus heated
14 ft. workshop attached to garage. Paneled den or office, newly carpeted 4
bedrooms, 2 baths, gas heat, central air conditioning, fireplace in living
room, kitchen has all built ins, separate dining area with sliding glass
doors to covered patio, within block to Upton Jr. High. \$44,900.

RAVINE LOT — OAK RIDGE

Wooded 90 ft. ravine lot in popular Oak Ridge Subdivision. North of
Stevensville. \$5,900.

ON WINDING ALPINE RIDGE

Ravine setting for this attractive el shaped design, double front entrance,
spacious 8 ft. wide foyer, formal dining room and warm inviting fireplace
in living room, both living room and dining room overlook wooded ravine.
Paneled family room, kitchen with all built ins, separate dining area has
glass sliding doors to patio, over 2100 sq. ft. plus basement with finished
rec room. Central air conditioning, double garage with electric door
openers. \$69,500.

ATHERTON DRIVE-COLOMA SCHOOLS-COLONIAL 4 BED
4 pillars across front porch, alum. exterior (no Maintenance), big double
garage, formal dining room has glass sliders doors to redwood deck
overlooking your rolling lot and countryside. Kitchen has oven, dishwasher
and oak type cabinets. Center foyer, fully carpeted with matching drapes,
semi finished family room, just needs a little paneling. Big house for so
little. \$38,000.

LIMESTONE 3 BED-POOL-ON CARDINAL-\$49,900.
Limestone fireplace covers entire wall of living room, kitchen has all built
ins, separate dining area with all thermopane windows. 1st floor laundry
area, 1 1/2 baths. Enclosed rear yard with el shaped in ground heated pool
patio, and screened gazebo. Family room, full basement with rec room,
gas hot water heat. Double garage doors with electric door openers. Just
\$49,900. Lakeshore Schools. Immediate Occupancy.

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apartments & garage. In B.H. \$15,000
Cash. Ph. 764-1314.REAL ESTATE
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garage. Under \$29,000. Ph. 424-3416.

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Shores in Bridgman is this
beautiful 4 bedroom 3-story estate
that you must see! It's sur-
roundings are close to nature with
wildlife all around, and your
family will love being outdoors to
enjoy the picturesque setting.
Lake Michigan beach rights, also,
enable you to take advantage of
the water and the beauty of all
four seasons.

NEAR KIWANIS PARK

No. 4926. Is this 3 bedroom, 2
story home that has been re-
modelled. The exterior is main-
tenance free, the interior is panel-
ed and tastefully decorated. The
basement rec. room has a pool
table for entertaining. Heated
front porch, eat-in kitchen and
formal dining room. \$26,500.

BRICK DUPLEX IN
ST. JOE WITH FIREPLACE

No. 1790. Not too often can you
find a brick duplex in a prestige
location with a view of the St.
Joseph River for only \$33,900. Lots
of mature trees and superb sur-
roundings are available in this
unit. There is a two bedroom unit
and a 1 bedroom unit with a fire-
place and basement. All separate
utility meters with individual gas
furnaces. This is truly a unique
opportunity to the wise investor or
the individual looking for a lovely
home and source of income
besides.

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT!

No. 3671. It all begins as you look
at this large 2 story home on a
well-maintained 100 X 290 ft. lot.
Greet your friends in the slate
foyer, relax or entertain in the liv-
ing room or family room with
fireplace, dine graciously in the
formal dining room or enjoy
relaxed meals in the 18 ft. kit-
chen. Let your youngsters enjoy
the ravine lot. Climb the stairway
to the second floor with five
sizeable bedrooms. Excellent loca-
tion in South St. Joseph.

A GORGEOUS VIEW

No. 4077. Awaits you in this lovely
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1-The Community Auction Building, East Lake, Mich.

Bridgman, Michigan
Bldg. full of merchandise including electric stove, kitchen table & chairs, maple dining table & 4 captain's chairs, drum table, dovetailed chairs, end table, bookshelves, chest of drawers, beds, space heater, set of good drums, trunk, dishes, paintings, tools, knit knits, many articles too numerous to mention. Sale by JERRY AREND AUCTION SERVICE, 101 Bridgman 465-6366 or New Buffalo 468-0522.

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Wed., Nov. 3 at 1 p.m. 4 1/2 miles North of Niles on W. 140 then 1/2 mile West on St. Joe Rd. 2 Case 430's. Ford 301 off set work master. J.D. M. 2 Ton Chev. Truck with dump box all farm tools & misc. Burdette King, Owner.

Sat., Nov. 6 at 10 a.m. 3 miles South of Coloma on Fri. Rd. MF 285 Diesel Int. 500 Series Bulldozer with blade. MF 175 Diesel tractor. J.D. M. 43 self propelled combine. Hydro cooler. All other farm tools, equipment, grading, etc. Fred Schaeffer & Charles C. Kilder, Owners.

Mon., Nov. 8 at 10:30 a.m. Located 1 mi. N. of Stevensville on St. Joseph Ave. Space heaters. Household goods, & antique & collectors items. Some hand & garden tools. Lorraine Eymann, Owner.

Tues., Nov. 9 at 10 a.m. Located 5 miles S.E. of Berrien Springs off U.S. 31 on Range Line Rd. then W. on Lake Chapin Road. J.D. M. 30 Tractor. J.D. Diesel. J.D. Baler. General line of farm tools. Hwy. 72 Honda. Household goods. Mr. & Mrs. Gene Spitzer.

Wed., Nov. 10 at 12 noon. Located 1/2 mi. West of Lake School on Cleveland Ave. Stevensville. Chino Roll from Germany. Blaque type doll. Duncan Flyer drop leaf table. & misc. household goods. Antique & Collector items. Some tools. Lumber. Katherine Rulfsatz, Owner.

Sat., Nov. 27 at 1 P.M. Located Bluff St. Stevensville. Household goods, dishes, dishes, and other collector items. Mr. & Mrs. Geo. Ball, Owners.

When you have a sale that should be on this calendar write or call your "FRIENDLY AUCTIONEER" REAL ESTATE

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COLOMA MOBILE HOME SALES — Now has 12 years 10% down FHA financing available. Model homes on display at Riverside. 2000 Lakeside Ave. St. Joseph, Mich. Secured party reserves the right to bid or select any of all bids.

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1968 FORD XL — 390. P.S. & P.B. 2 dr. hatch. Original owner. Good cond. \$600. Ph. 429-7625 after 5 p.m.

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FITTING FINALE TO BICENTENNIAL

Big Ballot Faces Michigan Voters

Perhaps there is no more fitting finale to the nation's Bicentennial celebration than an election.

And southwestern Michigan voters on Nov. 2 will find they have the right to exercise their preferences on a wide range of candidates, political and non-partisan, and on special issues as well.

Besides the traditional presence of Republican and Democratic parties, there are six other parties with candidates on the ballot. There are also independent candidates for U.S. President and Vice President.

Topping the ballot are eight candidates seeking the White House, along with their running mates.

There are seven candidates for U.S. Senator and five candidates for U.S. Representative from the fourth district.

Other statewide races on the crowded ballot are those

for state board of education; board of regents for the University of Michigan; board of trustees for Michigan State university, and board of governors for Wayne State university.

There are also candidates for state representatives.

Statewide, 11 non-partisan candidates are seeking three state supreme court seats and a seat on the court of appeals.

Also statewide, there are four special proposals to be decided Tuesday.

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Vote on Tuesday.



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In briefest form, Proposal A would ban throw-away soft drink and beer containers and require cash deposits on containers for these items. Proposal B would lower the eligibility age for state senator and state representative to 18. Proposal C would limit state taxation and spending to 8.3 percent of the combined personal income of Michigan. Proposal D would replace present flat rate state income tax with graduated rate income tax.

The proposals as worded on the ballot follow:

PROPOSAL A

Proposed law to prohibit the use of non-returnable bottles and cans for soft drinks and beer; to require refundable cash deposits for soft drink and beer containers; and to provide penalties for violation of the law.

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Should this proposed law be approved?

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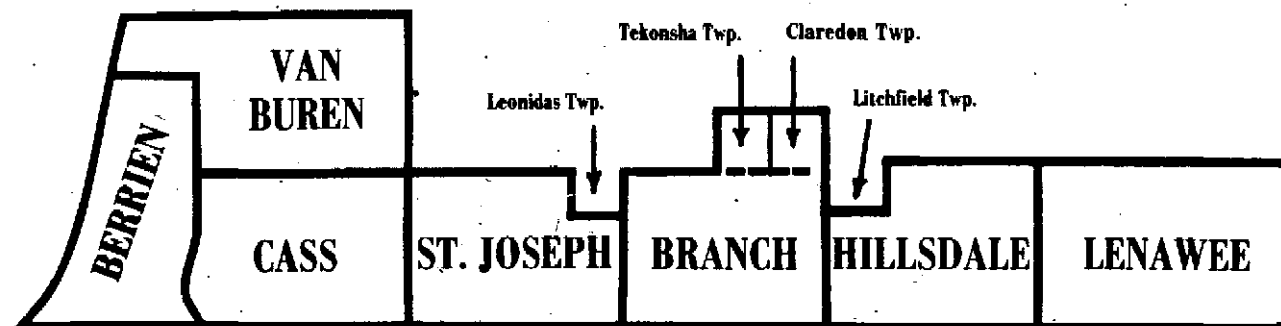


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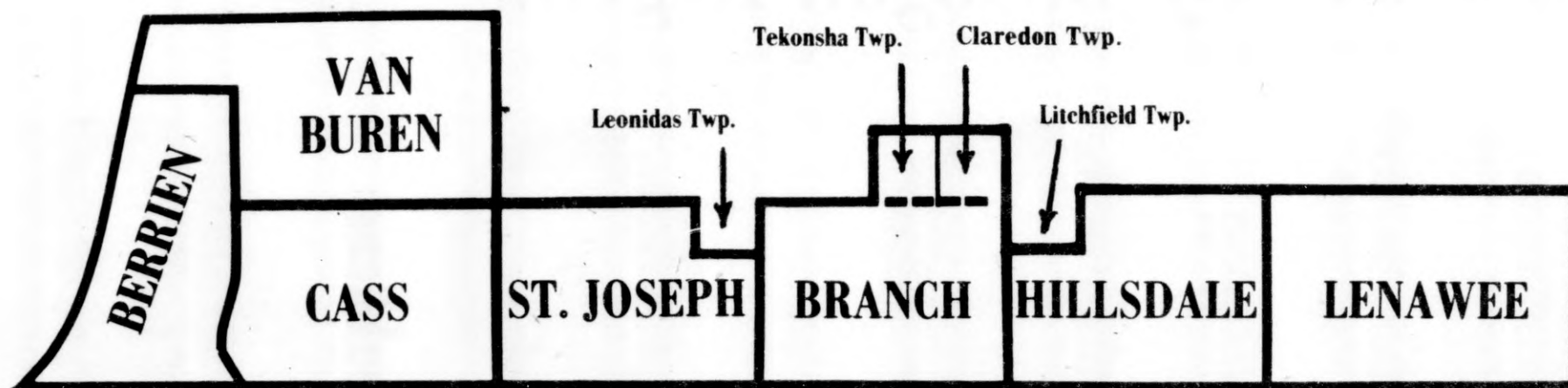


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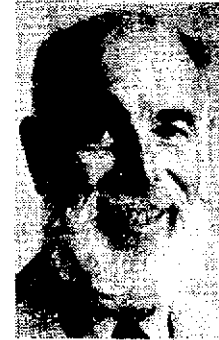


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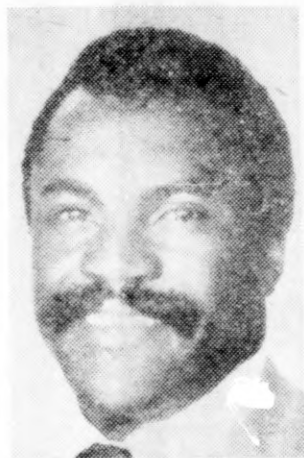
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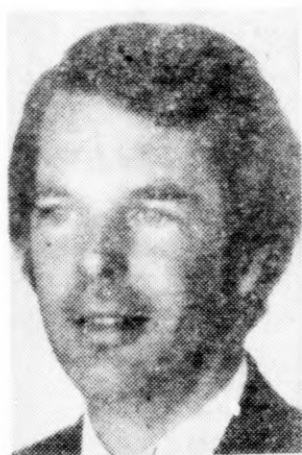
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Michigan Supreme Court

8-Year Term

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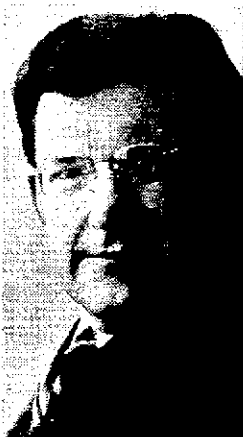
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6-Year Term

(Elect 1)



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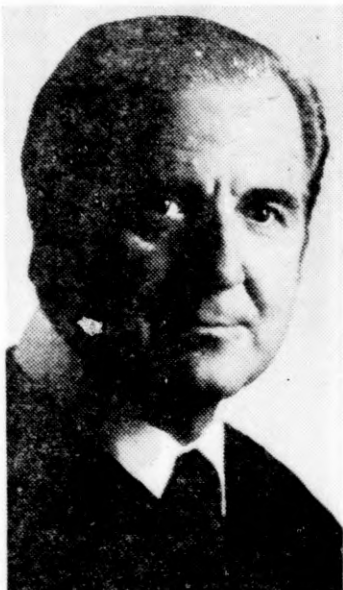


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Michigan Supreme Court

2-Year Term

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State Court Of Appeals

6-Year Term



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Charter Votes

Niles City

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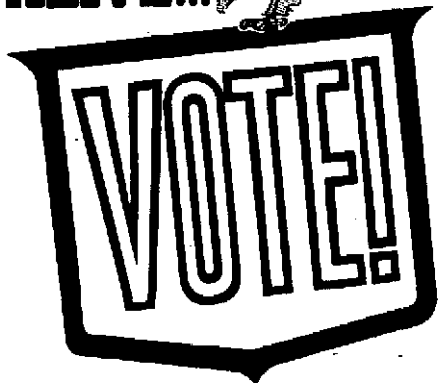
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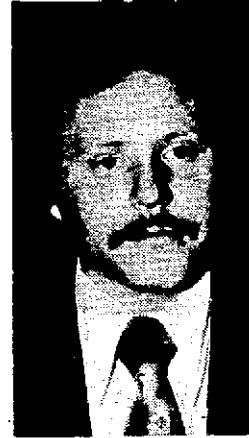
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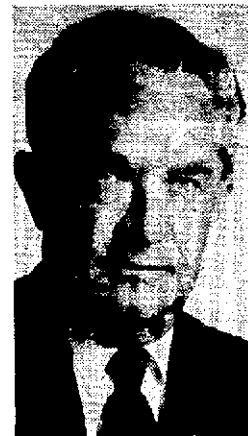


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State House Of Representatives

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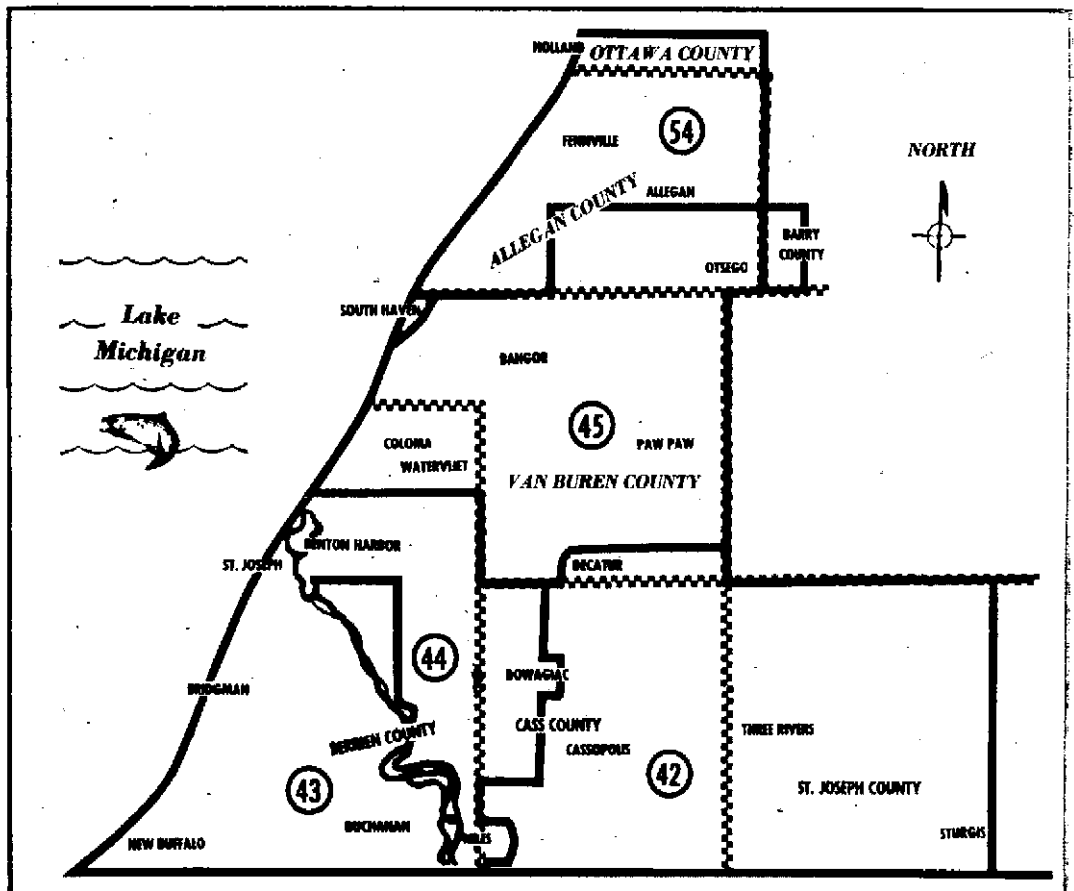


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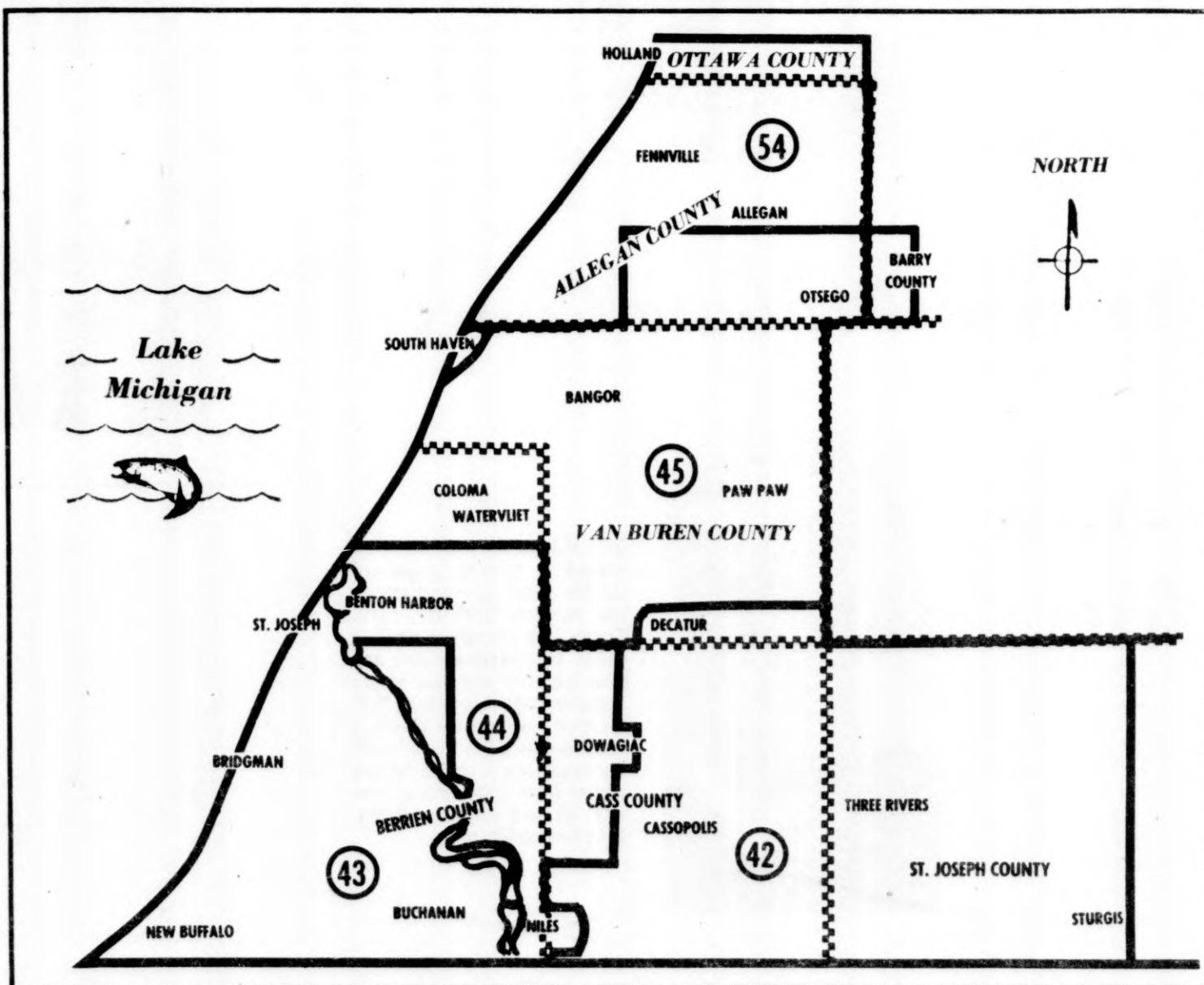


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Map shows state House of Representatives districts in southwestern Michigan. Thick dark lines are district boundaries. Checkered lines are county boundaries.



Berrien Circuit Court

6-Year Term



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Van Buren Circuit Court

2-Year Term



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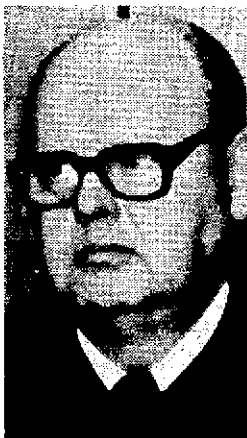
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Cass Probate Court

**6-Year
Term**



ROBERT W. CRAIG, 68, route 5, Kozy Beach, Cassopolis, has been a Cassopolis attorney since 1968. He practiced law in New York for 22 years and was divisional corporate counsel for Bendix Corp., South Bend, Ind., before opening his Cassopolis office. He is currently chairman of the Cassopolis area Chamber of Commerce industrial development committee. He and his wife, Nancy, have three children.



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Van Buren Probate Court

**6-Year
Term**



WILLIAM J. HOVER, 62, of South Haven has been a practicing attorney since 1938 and is running for the nonpartisan position of probate judge. A former county public administrator, most of his practice has been devoted to probate law. Hover is past president of the Van Buren county bar association, was a delegate at last summer's GOP state convention, and has been on the boards of a number of yachting and numismatic associations. He graduated from Western Michigan university and the University of Michigan law school. Hover and his wife, Carol, have two children and three step-children.



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Allegan District Court

**6-Year
Term**



PETER ANTKOWIAK II, 33, of 1655 28th street, Allegan, has been chief assistant prosecutor in Allegan county for the past five years. He received his bachelor's degree from Michigan State university. He received his law degree from the Detroit College of Law. He served three years in the U.S. Army. He is secretary-treasurer of the Allegan county bar association and is a member of the Allegan Jaycees. He and his wife Nancy have four children.



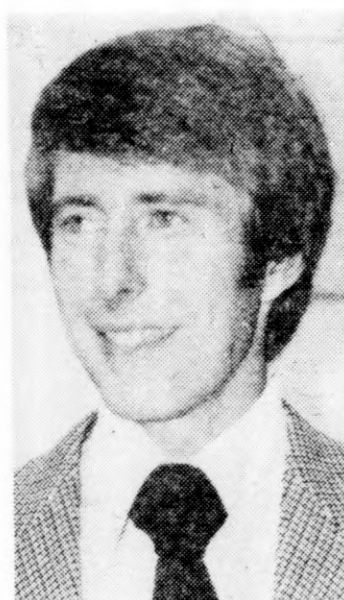
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Van Buren District Court

**2-Year
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Lake Michigan College

6-Year Term

(Elect 2)



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4-Year Term

(Elect 1)



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Southwestern Michigan College

6-Year Term

(Elect 2)



FRED L. MATHEWS, 47, route 2, Burmax park, Dowagiac (non-partisan incumbent), is unopposed in seeking one of two Southwestern Michigan college board of trustees six-year posts. A Dowagiac optometrist, Mathews has served as chairman of the board since its inception in 1964. He and his wife, Thelda, have two children.



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Berrien County Offices

Prosecutor



(Unopposed)

JOHN A. SMIETANKA, 35, Lincoln township (Republican-incumbent) seeks his first full term as prosecutor after being appointed and later elected in 1974. He joined the prosecutor's office in 1970 and was later named chief assistant prosecutor. He holds an a bachelor's degree from Oblate Fathers Scholasticate in Mississippi and a law degree from John Marshall School of Law in Chicago. Smietanka is single.

Sheriff



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Clerk



(Unopposed)

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Treasurer



(Unopposed)

WILLIAM C. HEYN, 63, Lake township (Republican-incumbent) is running for his third four-year term as county treasurer. A high school graduate, Heyn has taken business college courses and is a life resident of Berrien. He's also served as county drain commissioner, a Lake township trustee, and on the Berrien county building authority. He and his wife, Mildred, have three children.

Register



(Unopposed)

JUDITH LITKE HECHT, 34, Oronoko township (Republican-incumbent) seeks her third four-year term as Berrien register of deeds. Mrs. Hecht, a 32-year resident of Berrien county, is on the board of directors of United Way and serves on the GOP executive committee. She is married to Dr. Philip Hecht and has one child.

Drains



(Unopposed)

CARL F. GNODTKE, 40, Sawyer (Republican-incumbent) seeks his first full term as Berrien drain commissioner after being appointed earlier this year to the unexpired term of the late Harry Nye. Gnodtke is a life resident of the county and has served as a county commissioner, township trustee, and as a director of the Galien River Soil Conservation district. He and his wife, Mary Jane, have five children.

Surveyor



(Unopposed)

MAURICE R. RUSHLOW, 43, St. Joseph (Republican) is seeking his first elective office as county surveyor and is presently deputy surveyor. Rushlow has lived in the county for 10 years and has been employed with Wightman and Associates of St. Joseph for five years. He holds a degree in civil engineering from Michigan State university and is a member of various engineering societies. He and his wife, Eleanor, have six children.

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Prosecutor



(Unopposed)

JOHN A. SMIETANKA, 35, Lincoln township (Republican-incumbent) seeks his first full term as prosecutor after being appointed and later elected in 1974. He joined the prosecutor's office in 1970 and was later named chief assistant prosecutor. He holds an a bachelor's degree from Oblate Fathers Scholasticate in Mississippi and a law degree from John Marshall School of Law in Chicago. Smietanka is single.

Sheriff

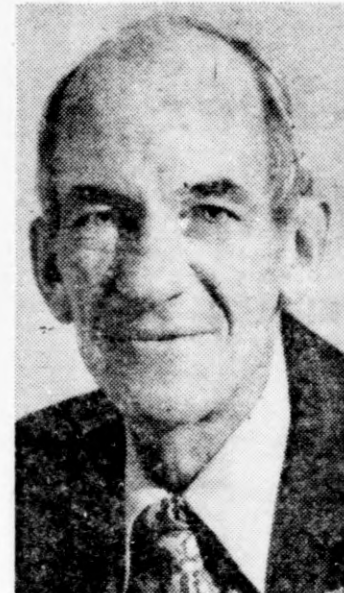


JESSE W. HOWARD, 60, Union Pier (Democrat) is running for his first term as Berrien sheriff. He is president of Freedom Unlimited and was an unsuccessful candidate for Congress in the Fourth district in 1970. Howard has lived in the county for nine years, is a high school graduate, and chairman of the Michigan Democratic Black Caucus for the Fourth district. He and his wife, Esther, have two children.



FORREST (NICK) JEWELL, 47, St. Joseph township (Republican-incumbent) seeks his third term as Berrien county sheriff. Jewell is a life resident of Berrien county and has served with the sheriff's department for 21 years. He holds an associate's degree in law enforcement from Lake Michigan college and is a graduate of the FBI Academy. He and his wife, Arlice, have two children.

Clerk



(Unopposed)

FORREST H. KESTERKE, 55, St. Joseph township (Republican-incumbent) is running for his fourth term as Berrien county clerk. A lifelong resident of Berrien, Kesterke is a graduate of Western Michigan university and owned his own insurance business. He served in the Navy during World War II. He and his wife, Charlotte, have one child.

Treasurer



(Unopposed)

WILLIAM C. HEYN, 63, Lake township (Republican-incumbent) is running for his third four-year term as county treasurer. A high school graduate, Heyn has taken business college courses and is a life resident of Berrien. He's also served as county drain commissioner, a Lake township trustee, and on the Berrien county building authority. He and his wife, Mildred, have three children.

Register



(Unopposed)

JUDITH LITKE HECHT, 34, Oronoko township (Republican-incumbent) seeks her third four-year term as Berrien register of deeds. Mrs. Hecht, a 32-year resident of Berrien county, is on the board of directors of United Way and serves on the GOP executive committee. She is married to Dr. Philip Hecht and has one child.

Drains



(Unopposed)

CARL F. GNODTKE, 40, Sawyer (Republican-incumbent) seeks his first full term as Berrien drain commissioner after being appointed earlier this year to the unexpired term of the late Harry Nye. Gnodtke is a life resident of the county and has served as a county commissioner, township trustee, and as a director of the Gallen River Soil Conservation district. He and his wife, Mary Jane, have five children.

Surveyor



(Unopposed)

MAURICE R. RUSHLOW, 43, St. Joseph (Republican) is seeking his first elective office as county surveyor and is presently deputy surveyor. Rushlow has lived in the county for 10 years and has been employed with Wightman and Associates of St. Joseph for five years. He holds a degree in civil engineering from Michigan State university and is a member of various engineering societies. He and his wife, Eleanore, have six children.

Berrien County Commissioners

District 1

All Hagar and Coloma townships, all Coloma city, part of Benton township.



Unopposed

R.J. (BOB) BURKHOLZ, 47, Higgman Park, Benton township (Republican-incumbent) is a native Benton Harborite with four two-year terms on the county board and seeking a fifth term. He's a self-employed real estate broker, holds a bachelor's degree from Albion college, and served two hitches in the Army — after World War II and during the Korean conflict. He and his wife, Zoe, have two children.

District 2

All Watervliet and Bainbridge townships, all Watervliet city, most of Pipestone township and part of Benton township.



JOSEPH J. TRAINOR, 46, Watervliet (Democrat) is going for his first political office in running for a seat on the board of commissioners. Trainor has lived in the county for some nine years, and is an employee of the Watervliet Paper Co. He served 20 years with the Air Force, retiring with the rank of technical sergeant, and served during the Korean conflict. Trainor has a high school diploma and has taken a year of college courses at Lake Michigan college. He and his wife, Elizabeth, have five children.



KENNETH L. WENDZEL, 44, Bainbridge township (Republican-incumbent) is a farmer and tax accountant seeking his fifth term on the county board. A Berrien county native, Wendzel attended Kalamazoo college and took night classes in accounting and taxes from Indiana university. He has served as a member or officer on the GOP executive committee, farm and church organizations, and two national accountant associations. He's a Korean war veteran, married, and has five children.

District 3

Part of Benton township and Benton Harbor.



Unopposed

WILLIE C. ASKEW, 28, Benton township (Democrat) is making his first bid for a seat on the county board, and was an unsuccessful candidate for the Democratic nomination for Benton township treasurer in the August primary. Askew was named the party's nominee for the county seat after Bill Joseph resigned. Askew has lived in the Benton Harbor area for 24 years and is an insurance salesman. Askew and his wife, Metena, have three children.

District 4

Part of Benton Harbor.



Unopposed

VICTOR GREER, 44, Benton Harbor (Democrat-incumbent) has lived in Berrien county more than 22 years, is president of Durable Products, Inc., and seeks a fifth two-year term on the county board. He's a member of the board's affairs committee and a former chairman of the Benton Harbor city charter commission. He's a college graduate, attended tool and die design engineering school, is a Korean war veteran, and is married and the father of two children.

District 5

All Sedus township, parts of Benton Harbor, Benton township, St. Joseph township, and Royaltown township.



Unopposed

NANCY F. CLARK, 55, Fairplain (Republican-incumbent) chairs the county board's planning and social services committee and seeks a fourth term. She holds a bachelor's degree from University of Michigan, is a former nursing home official, and has been active in Girl Scouts of Southwestern Michigan, Mercy hospital in Benton Harbor, Congregational church and United Fund. She's a lifelong resident of Berrien county, and she and her husband, Don, have five children.

District 6

Most of St. Joseph city, part of St. Joseph township.



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District 5

All Sodus township, parts of Benton Harbor, Benton township, St. Joseph township, and Royalton township.



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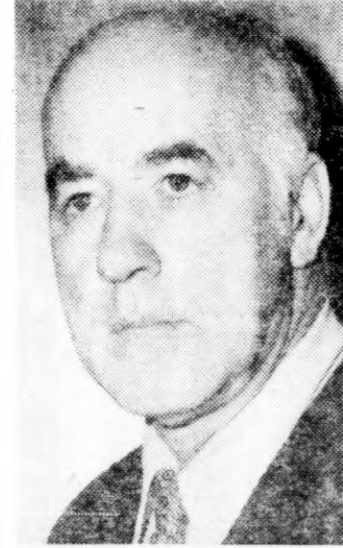
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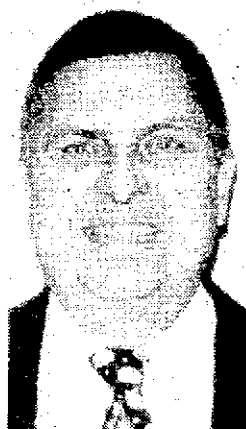
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OTTO R. GRAU, 59, Lincoln township (Republican-incumbent) is a four-term member of the county board, all as chairman of its administration committee. He owned and operated Grau's supermarket in Stevensville some 19 years and has been owner-operator of Grau-Real Estate since 1964. A near-lifetime resident of Berrien county, Grau has been active on appointed committees for Lincoln township, county government, and Lakeshore school district. He's married and the father of three children.

District 9

All Bridgman city, all Lake and Bareda townships, part of Lincoln and Chikaming townships.



CLYDE HARTLINE, 58, Bareda (Democrat) is making his first bid for political office. He is a native of Bareda and has lived most of his life in Berrien county, except while serving with the Air Force during World War II. Hartline is employed by Bendix Corp. in St. Joseph, and is a member of the Bareda American Legion post. Hartline and his wife, Frances, have five children.



WALTER E. HEYN, SR., 57, Bridgman (Republican-incumbent) is a lifetime Bridgman resident seeking his second term on the board of commissioners. Heyn has been an excavating contractor 29 years, served in the Army in the Pacific in World War II, is past president of Bridgman Lions and has been chairman of trustees at Immanuel Lutheran church in Bridgman. He and his wife, Margaret, have four grown children.

District 8

All Oronoko and Berrien townships, part of Pipestone township.



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District 10

All New Buffalo city, all New Buffalo and Three Oaks and Weesaw townships, part of Chikaming township.



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District 11

All Buchanan city, all Gallien and Buchanan townships, part of Niles and Bertrand townships.



LEWIS (JERRY) MASON, 54, of Buchanan (Democrat) is making his second bid for a seat on the county board, having been an unsuccessful candidate in 1974. Mason is in charge of maintenance for the Ryneerson apartment development in Buchanan, and served with the Army for 27 years before retiring with the rank of master sergeant. He is the commander of the Buchanan American Legion post and vice commander of the Buchanan VFW. He and his wife, Connie, have three children.



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Berrien County Commissioners

District 12

Most of Niles township, part of Niles city and Bertrand township.



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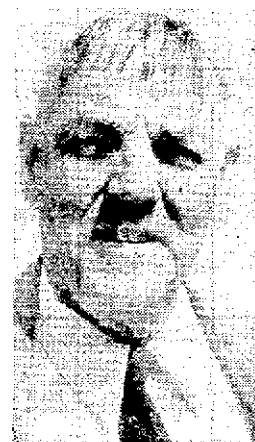
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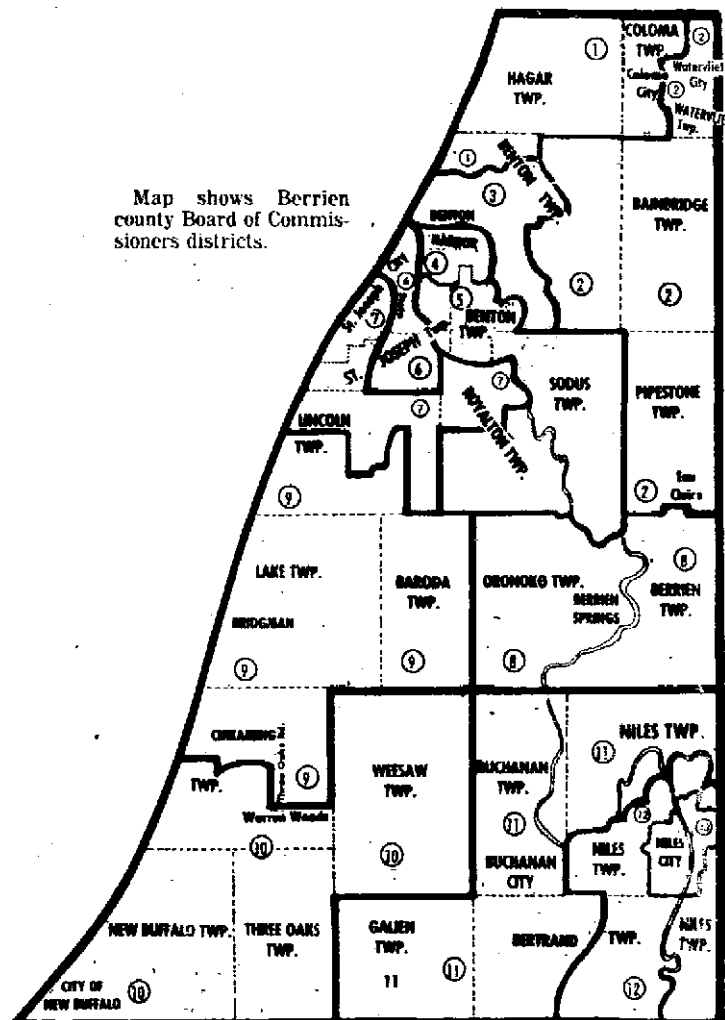


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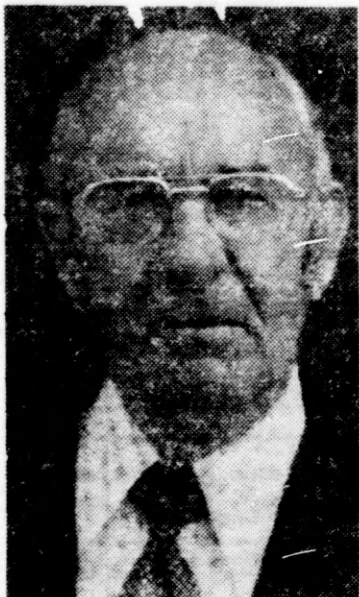
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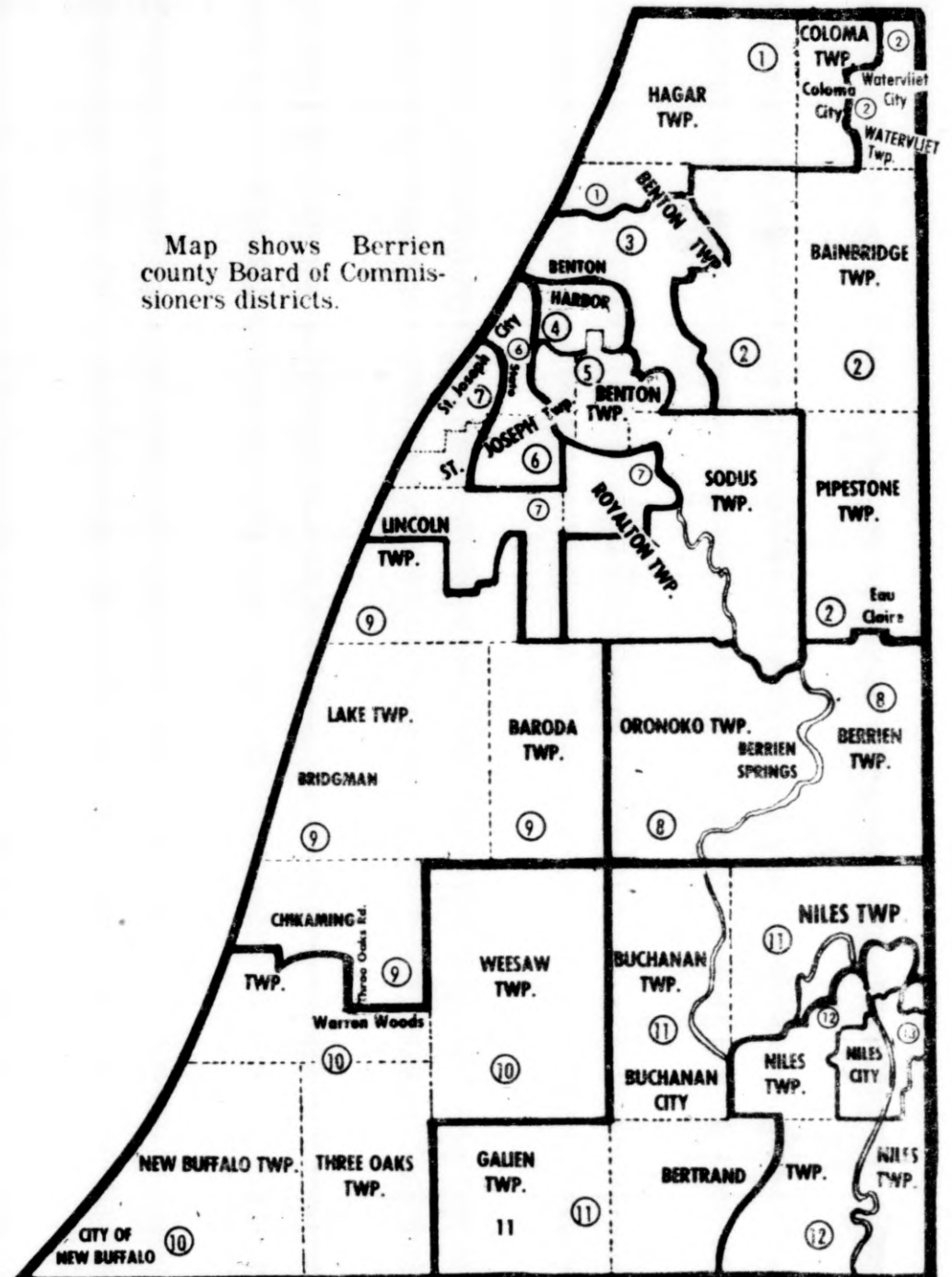


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Typical Michigan Ballot For

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Socialist Workers	1 E PETER CAMEJO WILLIE MAE REID	2 E PAULA L. REIMERS	3 E	4 E	5 E AL DUNCAN	6 E	7 E	8 E	9 E	10 E	11 E MARGARET M. HAYES	12 E	13 E	14 E	15 E	16 E	17 E	18 E	19 E	20 E	21 E	22 E	23 E	24 E	25 E	26 E	27 E	28 E	29 E	30 E
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3. To vote a straight ticket, pull the lever  of your Party to the Right.
4. To vote a split ticket: After you have pulled the party lever (thereby voting a straight ticket) turn up a voting Pointer  down over the candidate's name you wish to cut out, and turn a voting Pointer  down over the name of any other candidate for the same office.

For Nov. 2 General Election

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COLLEGE TRUSTEES

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19 A	20 A CLYDE HARTLINE	21 A	22 A	23 A	24 A	25 A	26 A	27 A	28 A	29 A	30 A	31 A Thomas Giles KAVANAGH Justice of the Supreme Court	32 A BLAIR MOODY, JR.	33 A CHARLES KAUFMAN	34 A ROBERT B. BURNS Judge of the Court of Appeals	35 A ZOE SHAFFER BURKHOLZ Judge of the Circuit Court	36 A RONALD H. LANGE Judge of the Probate Court	37 A JOHN T. HAMMOND Judge of the District Court	38 A HOWARD JABLON	39 A VANCE R. SHAW	40 A CHARLES B. HUIZENGA
19 B	20 B MAURICE R. RUSHLOW	21 B BERNICE TRETHERWAY	22 B CHRISTINE WELCH	23 B GERALD A. WAME	24 B DONALD R. CHAPMAN	25 B ANTHONY S. DLOUHY	26 B DOUGLAS A. TIEFENBACH	27 B WILLIAM R. OTT	28 B DONALD K. MACK	29 B GAIL CHAPMAN	30 B ROBERT GRFENDONNER	31 B Joseph Patrick SWALLOW Justice of the Supreme Court	32 B ZOLTON FERENCY	33 B JAMES L. RYAN Justice of the Supreme Court	34 B	35 B RONALD J. TAYLOR	36 B	37 B	38 B	39 B	40 B OTTO SARDI
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- Vote Non-Partisan Ticket by turning down voting Pointers over the names of candidates of your choice (In Blue Tinted Area).
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- Leave the voting Pointers down and move the RED HANDLE to the LEFT. This opens the curtain and records your vote.

Polls Open 7:00 a.m.—Close 8:00 p.m. VOTE EARLY—Avoid Standing in Line

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The trustee term is for four years, all others are two-year terms.

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Two other candidates who are brothers are making their first try for public office.

Eugene C. Enders, 42, box 12, Deans Hill road, Berrien Center is trying for the treasurer's job. Allan G. Enders, 41, box 13, Deans Hill road, Berrien Center, is a candidate for trustee.

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Voters will choose a new supervisor to replace Brayton Yaw, who has held that post since his first election to it in 1957.

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Two unopposed Republican candidates seek the township's two constable positions. They are Willard Parmer, 22, 5455 DeField road, and Harold C. Nitz, 53, of 5274 Coloma road. Nitz is an incumbent.

Hagar

All candidates seeking offices in Hagar township are unop-

posed during the Nov. 2 general election.

Incumbents seeking re-election are: Edward T. Broderick, 57, Democrat, 2727 Pier road, supervisor; Howard D. Bishop, 55, Republican, 4595 Coloma road, clerk; Winifred Anderson, 71, Democrat, Fikes road, Benton Harbor, treasurer; and John R. Bergstedt, 59, Republican, 5967 Superior street, Benton Harbor, trustee.

Seeking the two township constable posts are two Republican candidates, incumbent constable Walter R. Fester, 48, 3777 Tamarack Terrace, Benton Harbor, and newcomer John P. Nelson, 37, West Hagar Shore road, Benton Harbor.

Lincoln

Lincoln township Republicans are unopposed in their bids for election to township offices in the Nov. 2 general election. The

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candidates are:

Supervisor — Bernice Tretheway, 57, of 5572 Donald street, Stevensville, present clerk, who is seeking to succeed Ernest Hauch. Hauch did not seek re-election.

Clerk — Christine Welch, 45, of 1862 North Donna drive, Stevensville.

Treasurer — Gerald A. Wahl, 41, incumbent, of 5810 Longhorn trail, Stevensville.

Trustees — Incumbents Donald R. Chapman, 39, of 4973 Oaklane street, Stevensville, and Anthony S. Dlouhy, 37, 3243 Ridge road, Stevensville.

Constable — Douglas A. Tiefenbach, 33, of 5900 James drive, Stevensville, a Berrien County Sheriff's deputy.

Park commissioners — (two six-year seats) William R. Ott, 49, of 4996 St. Joseph street, Stevensville, and Donald K. Mack, 41, of 3022 Thresa drive, Stevensville, an incumbent.

Library board — (two six-year seats) Incumbents Gail Chapman, 39, of 1978 Oaklane street, Stevensville, and Robert Greendonner, 38, of 5760 George street, Stevensville.

New Buffalo

NEW BUFFALO — Candidates for all major New Buffalo township offices are unopposed in the Nov. 2 general election.

The candidates, all Democrats, are Edward L. Ohime, 48, Gowdy Shores, Union Pier, for supervisor; Jeannine J. Dalton, 40, of 19668 Ash court, Michigan Shores, for clerk; Joann P. Fleck, 45, route 1, Wilson road, for treasurer; and Stanley Kanger, Jr., 35, Apple lane, Union Pier, for the one available two-year trustee term; and Casimer T. Krycka, 52, Kinst road, for a four-year trustee post.

Mrs. Fleck, Kanger and Krycka are incumbents.

Also unopposed is Democrat Casimir P. Pawlowski, 58, route 1, who is seeking re-election as constable.

Also on the ballot will be candidates for six library board seats. Seeking the two available two-year terms are Democrat Harriet E. Melgin, 55, of 11512 Prospect road, and Republican Frances Karlovsky, 64, of 11201 Marquette drive.

Seeking the two available four-year terms are Republicans Beryl Dunning, 62, of 11577 Marquette drive and Terry Redamak, 35, Dogwood drive, Grand Beach.

Two Democrats are seeking the two available six-year terms. They are Mae E. Ohime, 51, wife of the supervisor candidate, and Joseph Balsanek, 66, Marquette road.

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Candidates are Robert G. Feather, 58, route 1, Hinchman road for supervisor; Alex Miskiewicz, 40, of 2910 Edgewood for clerk; and Robert H. King, 65, of 413 Shawnee road for treasurer. All are seeking re-election to current offices.

Running for the two available trustee posts are incumbent William E. Willson, 67, of 104 south Cass street, and newcomer David W. Ladd, 35, of 125 Hillcrest.

Incumbent constable John E. Weakley, 49, route 2, is also seeking re-election.

Royalton

ROYALTON township Republican incumbents will seek re-election without opposition in the Nov. 2 general election. The candidates are: Harley Marschke, 52, Box 168, Berrien Springs, who has held the office of supervisor for 20 years, for supervisor; Otto Jasper, 51, of 2047 Jasper Dairy road, St. Joseph, for clerk; Allen Stockman, 49, 5337, Scottsdale road, St. Joseph for treasurer; and Francis Stump, 50, 285 East John Beers Road, St. Joseph, for trustee.

Also unopposed are GOP constable candidates Raymond Marske, 51, 2093 Jasper Dairy road, St. Joseph, and Ernest Rach, 43, 5779 Hollywood road, Stevensville.

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Sodus

SODUS — Sodus township voters have only the contest for trustee to decide when they go to the polls on Nov. 2. Democrats for all other major offices are unopposed.

Clarence A. Steinke, 48, of 2919 Dutch lane, Sodus, a

Democrat, is seeking the supervisor's post to succeed incumbent Fred Froehlich who is seeking the available trustee post. Steinke is employed at Michigan Gas Utilities, Benton Harbor. He and his wife Delores have three children.

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Democratic candidates for offices are Daniel Derbas for supervisor; incumbent clerk Russell B. Babcock for clerk; incumbent treasurer Dorothy

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Republican candidates are Clyde E. Carr for supervisor; Helen Marie Lutz for clerk; Joyce E. Chase for treasurer; Warren R. Hickok for trustee; and Esther Cook, 75, of 268 Main street, and Gladys McLaren, 68, of 312 Main street, for two available six-year library board terms.

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Unopposed Republican incumbents are clerk Elsie Reck, 57, of 8559 Gast road, Bridgman; and treasurer Ronald Germain, 44, of 3246 Sunset drive, both of Bridgman.

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Berrien Townships

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Heading the race is the contest for supervisor where Republican incumbent Hazen Harner, Jr. faces Democratic challenger Ivan Price.

In the other races, incumbent clerk Herbert Hasse, Republican, is opposed by Democrat Ruth E. Billings; Richard Skibbe, incumbent Republican treasurer, is being challenged by Democrat Lorabelle Weber; and incumbent trustee George Wesner, Republican, is opposed by Democrat James Ferry.

Two Republican incumbents, Eldon Franz and Harold McCarthy, face Democrat Harry C. Lager, Jr. in the other race for two constable positions.

Harner, 43, Clawson road, Eau Claire, has served two terms as constable and three terms as supervisor. He and his wife Beverly own and operate a fruit and grain farm. They have two sons.

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Mrs. Weber, 60, of 6575 Town Hall road, Eau Claire, is a housewife. She and her husband Harley have four children.

Wesner, 53, route 2, Eau Claire, is an employee of Benton Harbor Engineering. He and his wife Ruby have three sons.

Ferry, 23, of 6925 Bailey road, Eau Claire, is a farmer. He is single.

Franz, 49, route 1, Eau Claire, is a farmer. He and his wife Bonnie have no children.

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IVAN PRICE
Democratic challenger



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of 4537 South Pipestone road, Sodus, for treasurer; Edwin Juergensen, 45, of 4148 South Pipestone road, Sodus, and George Marutz, 35, 3276 Snyder road, Benton Harbor, for constables. All are Democrats.

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Other unopposed incumbents are:

Bill Payne Smith, 50, of 1972 Lascia drive, clerk; Isadore G. DiMaggio, 30, of 729 Ansley drive, treasurer; Harold M. Zabau, 61, of 350 Fairview avenue, constable; James Morrow, 58, of 958 Carley lane, constable; and Gerald E. Veine, 34, of 1123 Fairlawn, park board.

Three Oaks

THREE OAKS — Six Republicans and two Democrats are unopposed for Three Oaks township offices in the Nov. 2 general election.

Newcomer Robert R. Todd, 29, is seeking the supervisor's post to succeed incumbent Aifred Hellenga who is not running for re-election. Todd is an accountant at the Bank of Three Oaks. Todd and his wife Mary reside at Box 316. Three Oaks.

Republican incumbents seeking re-election are clerk Marjorie E. Drier, 59, of 6 Orange street; treasurer Robert F. Martin, 54, route 2, Martin road; trustee William L. Donner, 38, 31C Forest Lawn road; constables Gerson Drake, 35, of 209 West Locust street, and Marvlen Mangold, 61, of 206 North Elm street, all of Three Oaks.

Democratic candidates for two six-year terms on the

library board are incumbents Betty Kramer, 56, of 7 Spruce street, and Margaret Franklin, 66, of 312 South Elm street, both of Three Oaks.

Watervliet

WATERVLIET — Watervliet township voters will decide two Democratic-Republican races on Nov. 2.

Robert E. Curtis, Democrat, and William N. Gaines, Republican, are seeking the supervisor's post being vacated by Lyle Woodworth who is not seeking re-election.

Incumbent Eleanor A. Krell, Republican, is being challenged by Cheryl Hutchins, Democrat, for the treasurer's post.

Unopposed are Barbara J. Tyler, 37, route 3, Watervliet, Republican, for clerk, and incumbent Robert F. Morlock, 52, route 1, Hennessy road, Republican, for trustee.

Curtis, 55, of Paw Paw avenue, Watervliet, is a security guard for the Bendix Corp. He and his wife Lela have three daughters.

Gaines, 58, of M-140 north, Watervliet, is ordinance administrator for the township. He and his wife Evelyn, have four children.

Mrs. Krell, 47, route 1, Watervliet, is also a homemaker. She has held the treasurer's post since first elected in 1972. She and her husband, Gordon, have one son.

Mrs. Hutchins, 23, route 1,

Niles Township



JAMES W. STOVER
Democrat candidate



JOHN F. BUNDY
GOP candidate

NILES — Full slates of both Republican and Democratic candidates will be vying for Niles township offices on Nov. 2.

The candidates are: for supervisor, Democrat James W. Stover, 37, and Republican John F. Bundy, 60. They are seeking the post being vacated by incumbent John McDonald who is not running for re-election.

For clerk, Suzanne Meil, 29, Democrat, and William E. Barthel, 47, Republican. They are vying for the post being vacated by Arthur Mould.

For treasurer, Democrat M. Sherman Drew, Jr., 28, and Republican William L. Mooneyham, 32. Incumbent treasurer Verlin P. Zimmerman is not seeking re-election.

Two Democrats and two Republicans are seeking election to two available trustee posts. The Democrats are Lester H. Hartman, 68; and Kay E. Stephens, 33. Incumbent James J. Sullivan, 52, and Charles S. Losensky, 46, are the Republican candidates.

In the constable's race, six candidates are vying for four available posts. The Democrats are D. A. Junior Patton, 36; and Filbert Richard Bilotti, 28. The Republicans are incumbents Richard J. Jones, 49, and Jack E. Paquette, 33; and newcomers Clarence Hodges, 53, and Roger D. Noecker, 23.

Running for two available parks commission posts are Democrat John Owicki, 58; and Republicans David E. Gombosi, 47, and Alan James Martindale, 31.

Martindale's wife, Karen, is seeking the clerk's post as a non-partisan write-in candidate.

On the Democratic side, Stover is a systems programmer/analyst for Clark Credit Corp., Buchanan. He and his wife, Patricia, have three children. Stover is currently serving as trustee. Mrs. Meil is

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Hartman is a retired Railway Express employee. He and his wife, Charlotte, have seven children. Mrs. Stephens is a homemaker. She and her husband, Terry, have two sons.

Patton resides with his wife and children at 133 Owens street. Bilotti is a rate analyst for Simplicity Pattern Co., Niles. He and his wife, Lois, have one child.

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On the Republican ticket, Bundy is a retiree. He and his wife, Gloria, have two children. Barthel is a plant supervisor at Packard Industries, Niles. He and his wife, Dorothea, have two children. Mooneyham is a senior pharmaceutical representative with Smith-Kline Co., based in Philadelphia, Pa. He and his wife, Jane, have one daughter. Sullivan is a real estate salesman with the Crest agency in Niles. He and his wife, Adrienne, have two sons.

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Weesaw

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Other unopposed incumbents are:

Bill Payne Smith, 50, of 1972 Lasein drive, clerk; Isadore G. DiMaggio, 30, of 729 Ansley drive, treasurer; Harold M. Zaban, 61, of 350 Fairview avenue, constable; James Morrow, 59, of 958 Carley lane, constable; and Gerald E. Veine, 34, of 1123 Fairlawn, park board.

Three Oaks

THREE OAKS — Six Republicans and two Democrats are unopposed for Three Oaks township offices in the Nov. 2 general election.

Newcomer Robert R. Todd, 29, is seeking the supervisor's post to succeed incumbent Alfred Hellenga who is not running for re-election. Todd is an accountant at the Bank of Three Oaks. Todd and his wife Mary reside at Box 316. Three Oaks.

Republican incumbents seeking re-election are clerk Marjorie E. Drier, 59, of 6 Orange street; treasurer Robert F. Martin, 54, route 2, Martin road; trustee William L. Donner, 38, 31C Forest Lawn road; constables Gorson Drake, 35, of 209 West Locust street, and Marvlen Mangold, 61, of 206 North Elm street, all of Three Oaks.

Democratic candidates for two six-year terms on the

library board are incumbents Betty Kramer, 56, of 7 Spruce street, and Margaret Franklin, 66, of 312 South Elm street, both of Three Oaks.

Watervliet

WATERVLIET — Watervliet township voters will decide two Democratic-Republican races on Nov. 2.

Robert E. Curtis, Democrat, and William N. Gaines, Republican, are seeking the supervisor's post being vacated by Lyle Woodworth who is not seeking re-election.

Incumbent Eleanor A. Krell, Republican, is being challenged by Cheryl Hutchins, Democrat, for the treasurer's post.

Unopposed are Barbara J. Tyler, 37, route 3, Watervliet, Republican, for clerk, and incumbent Robert F. Moriack, 52, route 1, Hennessy road, Republican, for trustee.

Curtis, 55, of Paw Paw avenue, Watervliet, is a security guard for the Bendix Corp. He and his wife Lela have three daughters.

Gaines, 58, of M-140 north, Watervliet, is ordinance administrator for the township. He and his wife, Evelyn, have four children.

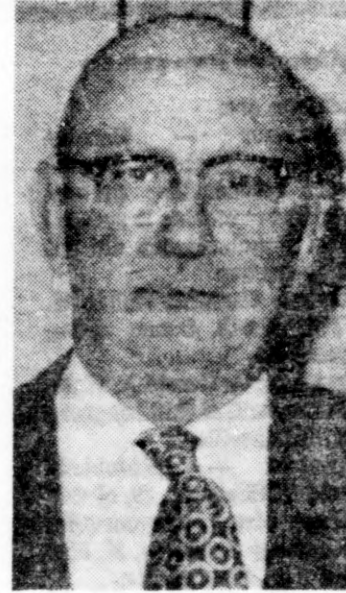
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Niles Township



JAMES W. STOVER
Democrat candidate



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GOP candidate

NILES — Full slates of both Republican and Democratic candidates will be vying for Niles township offices on Nov. 2.

The candidates are: for supervisor, Democrat James W. Stover, 37, and Republican John F. Bundy, 60. They are seeking the post being vacated by incumbent John McDonald who is not running for re-election.

For clerk, Suzanne Mell, 29, Democrat, and William E. Barthel, 47, Republican. They are vying for the post being vacated by Arthur Mould.

For treasurer, Democrat M. Sherman Drew, Jr., 28, and Republican William L. Mooneyham, 32. Incumbent treasurer Verlin P. Zimmerman is not seeking re-election.

Two Democrats and two Republicans are seeking election to two available trustee posts. The Democrats are Lester H. Hartman, 68; and Kay E. Stephens, 33. Incumbent James J. Sullivan, 52, and Charles S. Losensky, 46, are the Republican candidates.

In the constable's race, six candidates are vying for four available posts. The Democrats are D. A. Junior Patton, 36; and Filbert Richard Bilotti, 28. The Republicans are incumbents Richard J. Jones, 49, and Jack E. Paquette, 33; and newcomers Clarence Hodges, 55, and Roger D. Noecker, 23.

Running for two available parks commission posts are Democrat John Owicki, 59; and Republicans David E. Gombosi, 47, and Alan James Martindale, 31.

Martindale's wife, Karen, is seeking the clerk's post as a non-partisan write-in candidate.

On the Democratic side, Stover is a systems programmer/analyst for Clark Credit Corp., Buchanan. He and his wife, Patricia, have three children. Stover is currently serving as trustee. Mrs. Mell is

a homemaker. She and her husband, Donald, have two children. Drew is an attorney with the father-son firm of Drew and Drew. He and his wife, Nancy, have two children.

Hartman is a retired Railway Express employe. He and his wife, Charlotte, have seven children. Mrs. Stephens is a homemaker. She and her husband, Terry, have two sons.

Patton resides with his wife and children at 133 Owens street. Bilotti is a rate analyst for Simplicity Pattern Co., Niles. He and his wife, Lois, have one child.

Owicki is retired from the Federal Aviation agency, South Bend airport, where he was an electronics specialist. He and his wife, Lois, have one son.

On the Republican ticket, Bundy is a retiree. He and his wife, Gloria, have two children. Barthel is a plant supervisor at Packard Industries, Niles. He and his wife, Dorothea, have two children. Mooneyham is a senior pharmaceutical representative with Smith-Kline Co., based in Philadelphia, Pa.

He and his wife, Jane, have one daughter. Sullivan is a real estate salesman with the Crest agency in Niles. He and his wife, Adrienne, have two sons.

Losensky is a salesman with All State Insurance. He and his wife, Jane, have three children. Hodges is a teacher at Seely McCord School, Benton Harbor. He and his wife, Arelia, have five children. Hodges has served as a Berrien county commissioner. Noecker, is a machine operator for Garden City Fan Co., Niles. He is not married.

Jones is employed with the National Standard Co., Niles. He and his wife, Miriam, have two sons. Paquette is an office porter for Clark Equipment Co., Buchanan. He and his wife, Kathleen, have one daughter.

Hagar Shore road, Watervliet, is a tax accountant for H & R Block Co. She and her husband, Daniel, have two children.

Weesaw

NEW TROY — Republican incumbent office holders in Weesaw township are unopposed in their bids for re-election in the Nov. 2 election.

The candidates are Allan H. Boyd, 51, of Weechik road, New Troy, for supervisor; John C. Payne, 49, route 2, Three Oaks, for clerk; Frank E. Kramer, 67, route 1, Sawyer, for treasurer; Clarence Wirth, 63, Avery road, Three Oaks, for trustee; and Jim D. English, 41, Maple street, New Troy, for constable.

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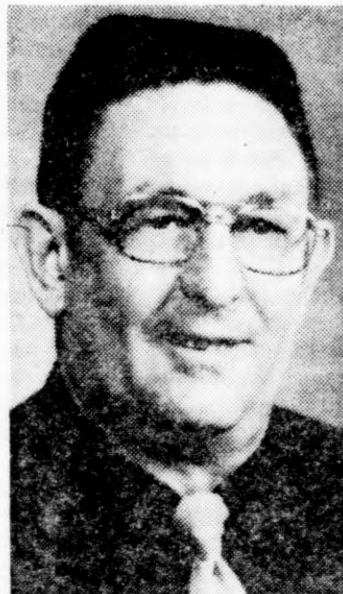
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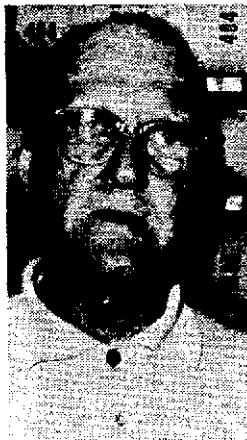
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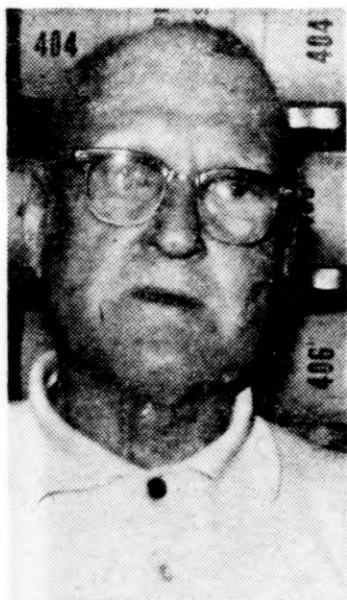
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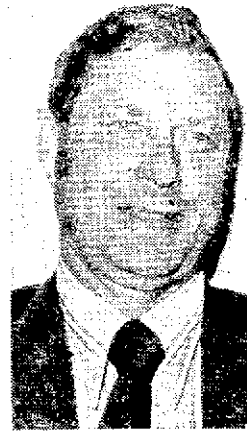
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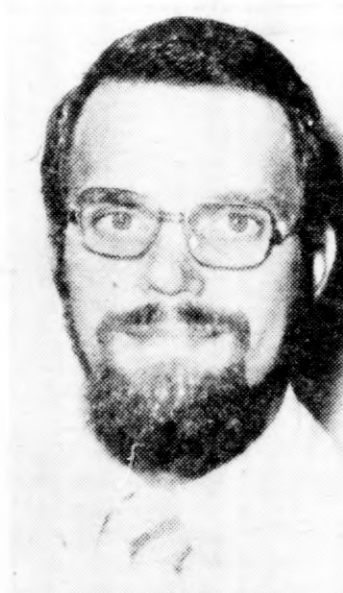
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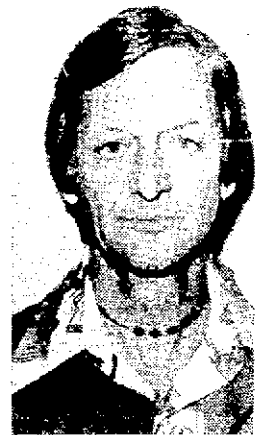
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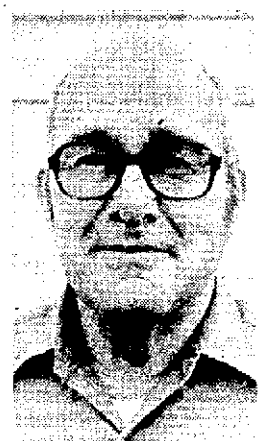
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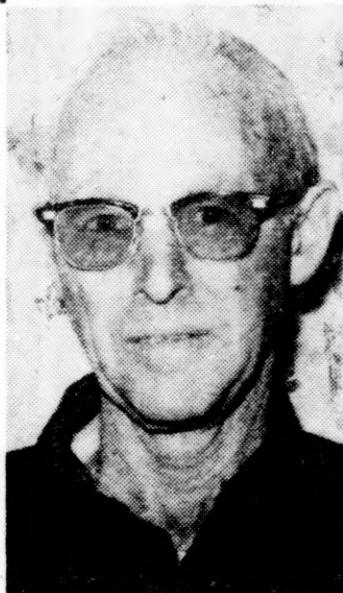


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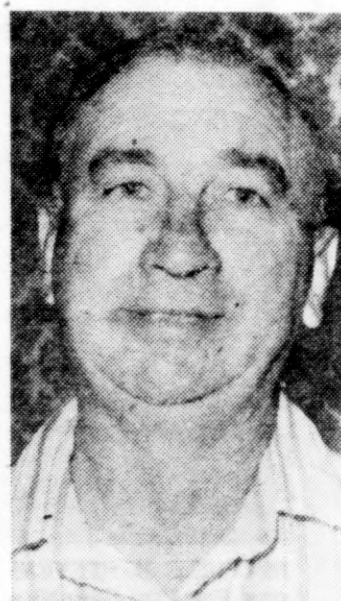
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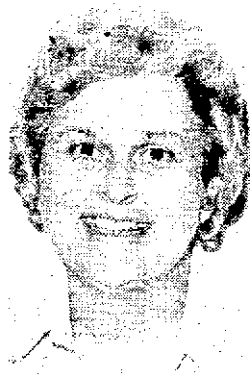
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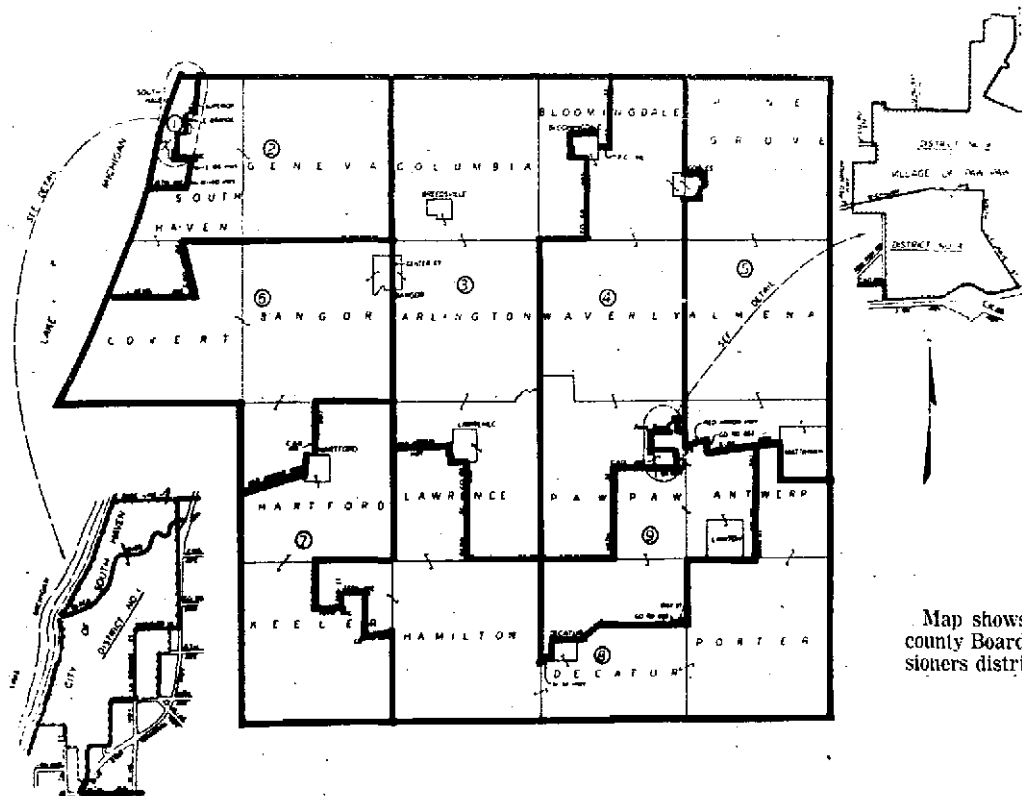
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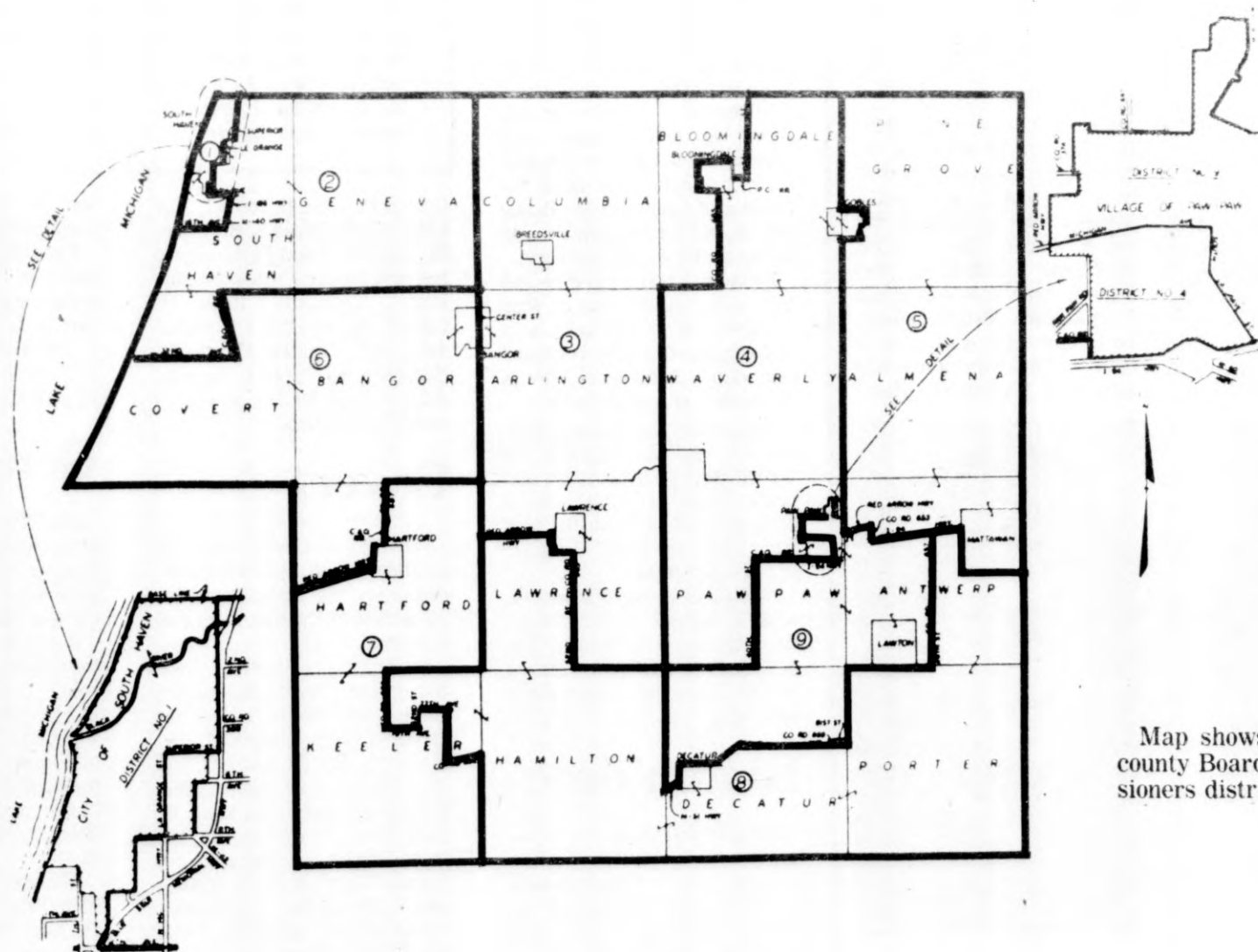
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Arlington

BANGOR — Two Republican incumbents running for Arlington township offices face Democratic challengers, and two are unopposed in the Nov. 2 general election.

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Columbia



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Van Buren Townships

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Brockhuizen is currently a township trustee and is seeking to replace supervisor Millard Phillips who is not running for re-election.

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Neither party had candidates file for one available constable office.

Lawrence

LAWRENCE — Four incumbents are unopposed in the Nov. 2 general election in their bids for re-election to Lawrence township offices.

Democratic candidates are supervisor Robert Cook, 56, route 1; clerk Carl Whiteman, 44, route 1; and trustee Max Moses, 56, route 1, all of Lawrence.

For treasurer, Republican Lew Bowen, 47, of 912 North Paw Paw street, Lawrence, is seeking a new term.

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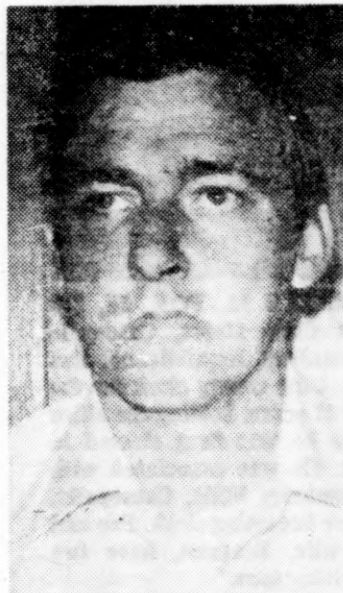
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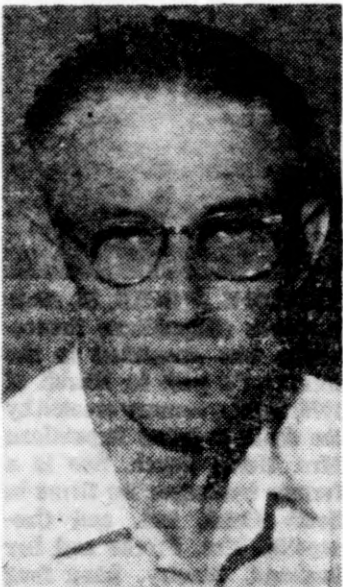
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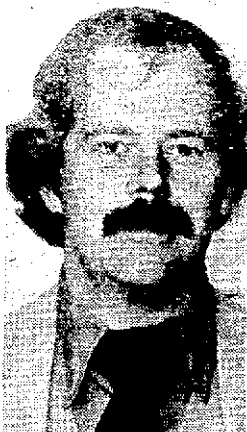
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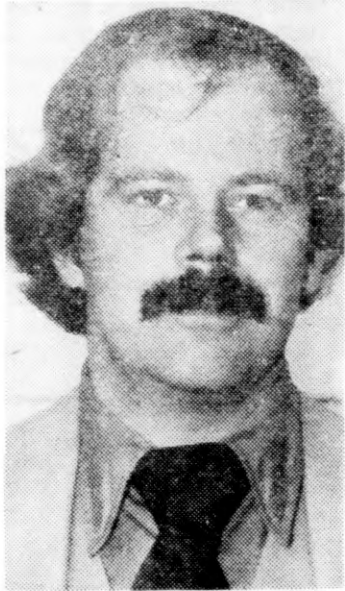
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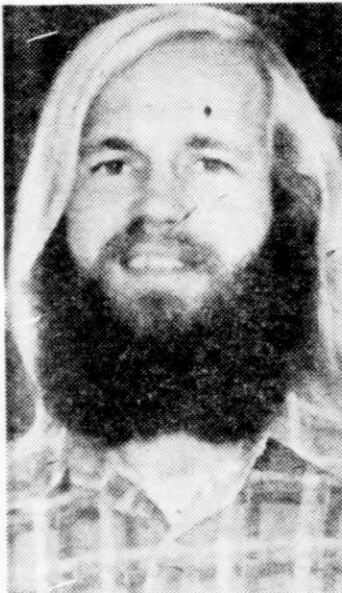
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District 2

All precincts in wards 1 and 2 in city of Dowagiac



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District 3

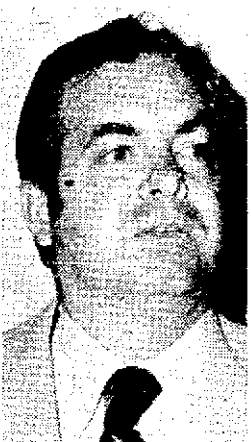
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District 4

All of Marcellus and Velinia townships and part of Penn township.



BURKE H. WEBB, 40, 238 West Dibble street, Marcellus (Democrat), is an attorney and a member of the firm of Jones, Webb, Jones and France, Marcellus. He was unsuccessful in a 1970 race for 42nd state representative. Webb won three-way race for his party's nomination in August primary. He and his wife, Ann, have two children.



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District 5

Precinct 1 in Howard township and part of Pokagon township.



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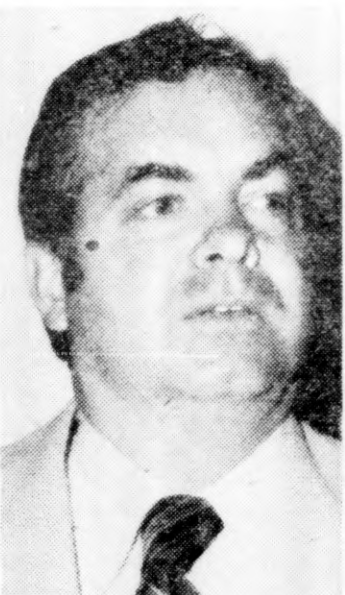
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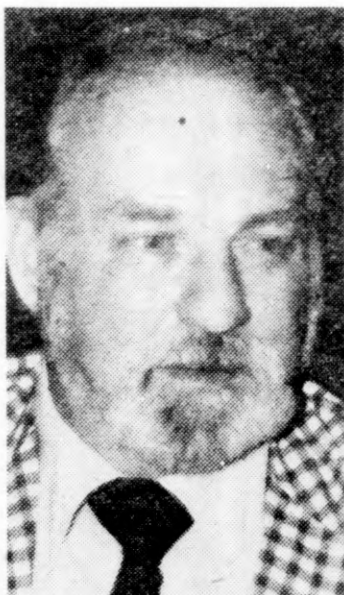
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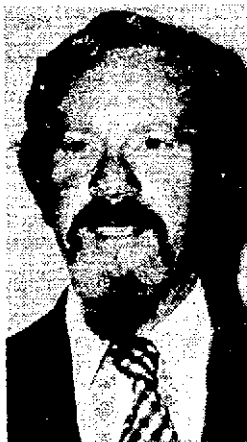


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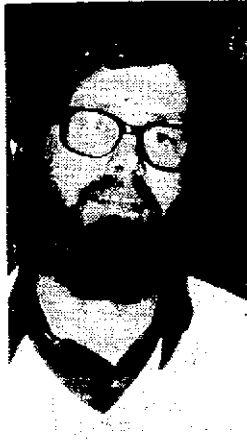
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Parts of Howard and Milton townships.



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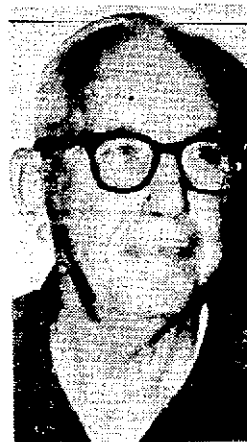
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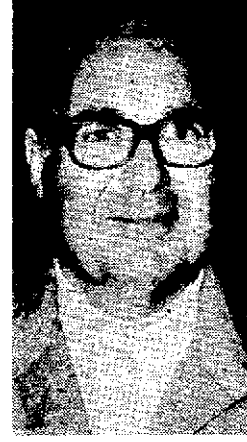
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All of Mason township and part of Ontwa township.



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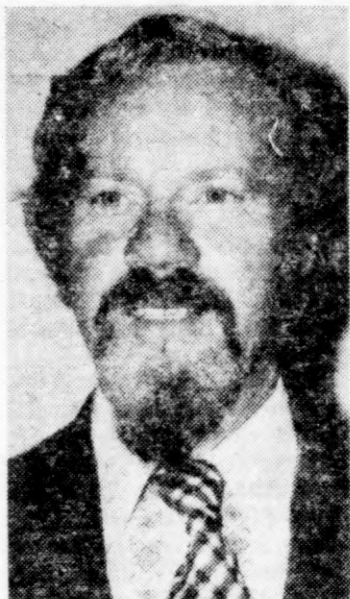
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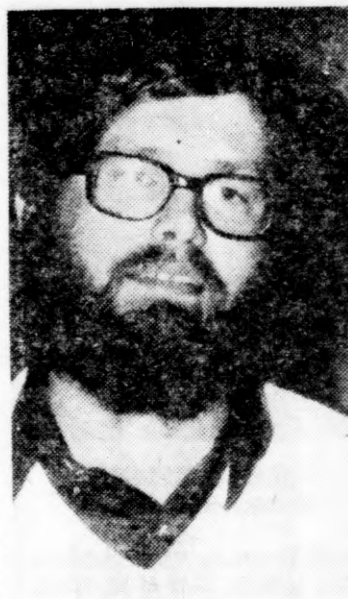
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LaGrange

DOWAGIAC — Republicans and Democrats will be battling for all major LaGrange township offices on Nov. 2.

The candidates in the race for supervisor are Democrat James W. Lawson, 47, who opposes Republican Bernard J. Roethel, 66. They are seeking the post being vacated by incumbent supervisor Reuland McCabe who is not seeking reelection.

Candidates for clerk are Republican incumbent Frank G. Winebrenner, 79, and challenger Michaelen J. Kelly, 28, a Democrat. For treasurer, incumbent Republican Lucille E. King, 64, is being challenged by Democrat Lucille Stiglitz, 48. Incumbent Republican Robert M. Conner, 46; and Willie T. Booker, 43, Democrat, are running for constable.

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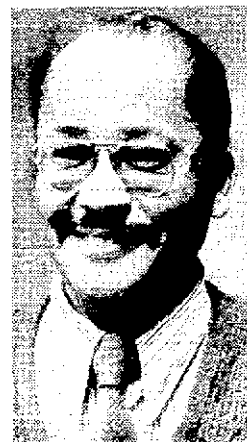
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For constable, Conner, 502 South street, is a truck driver for the Premiere Corp., Cassopolis. He and his wife, Nancy, have six children. Booker, of 509 South Broadway, is a factory worker for Sundstrand Heat Transfer Inc., Dowagiac. He and his wife, Beatrice have 11 children. Conner and Booker are both of Cassopolis.



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Silver Creek

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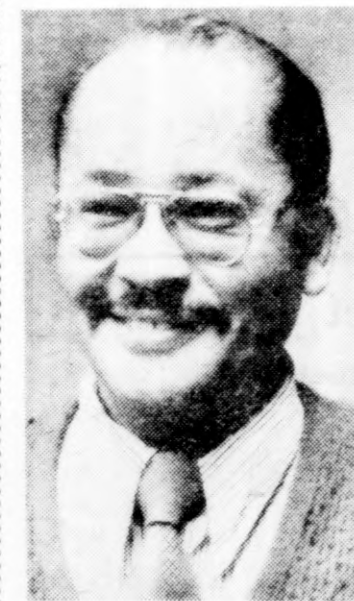
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For constable, Conner, 502 South street, is a truck driver for the Premiere Corp., Cassopolis. He and his wife, Nancy, have six children. Booker, of 509 South Broadway, is a factory worker for Sundstrand Heat Transfer Inc., Dowagiac. He and his wife, Beatrice have 11 children. Conner and Booker are both of Cassopolis.



JAMES W. LAWSON
Democrat candidate



BERNARD J. ROETHELE
GOP candidate

Silver Creek

DOWAGIAC — Republicans and Democrats will battle for every major office in Silver Creek township on Nov. 2.

The Democratic candidates are Carl Leach, 63, for supervisor; Margaret Noddruff, 53, for clerk; Alfred J. Ray, 61, for treasurer; incumbent trustee Samuel P. Jones, 35, for trustee; and H. James Casey, 40, John M. Jerue, 30, Francis Peter Metras, 63, and R. Don Rohdy, 35, for four available constable posts. Metras and Rohdy are

incumbents.

On the Republican ticket are Anthony Krukowski, 53, for supervisor; Nellie J. Price, 50, for clerk; incumbent treasurer Warren J. Anthony, 51, for treasurer; Ruth L. Sarabyn, 43, for trustee; and Harry E. Beach, Jr., 24, Tom Brosnan, 49, Jack Gould, 38, and Garrell M. Small, 45, for constables.

In the supervisor's race, Leach, route 7, Rainbow Park, is a retired teacher and school administrator. He and his wife,

Helen, have three children. Krukowski, route 5, is a tool and die maker with the Benson Bach Co., Elkhart, Ind. He and his wife, Mary, have eight children. They are vying for the post being vacated by incumbent John Jerue who is running for a constable seat.

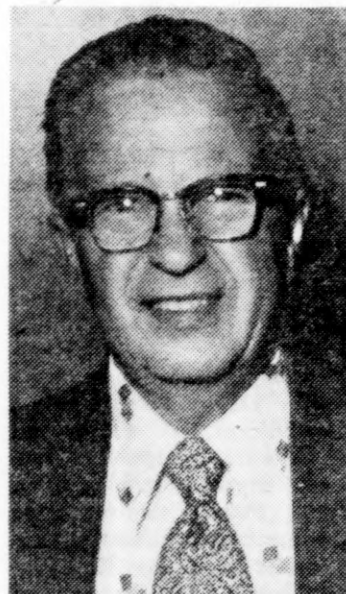
Democratic clerk candidate Mrs. Noddruff, route 7, is a homemaker. She and her husband, Robert, own and operate a farm. They have three children. Mrs. Price, the Republican candidate, is a homemaker. She operates a gift shop and catering service from her home. Mrs. Price and her husband, Charles, live on route 5. They have one son.

Ray, route 5, the Democratic treasurer candidate, is a retiree and resort owner. He is chairman of the Indian Lake volunteer fire department board. Ray and his wife, Dorothy, have two children. The Republican candidate, Anthony, route 7, M-62 West, is the principal of Oak Manor elementary school in Niles. He and his wife, Jean, have two children. Anthony is the incumbent having held office since 1967.

Jones, route 5, Box 209, the incumbent Democratic trustee candidate, is an engineering systems analyst for the Kawneer Co., Niles. He and his wife, Sally, have four children. The



CARL LEACH
Democrat candidate



ANTHONY KRUKOWSKI
GOP candidate

Republican candidate, Mrs. Sarabyn, route 5, is a homemaker. She and her husband, Harry, have four children.

On the Democratic ticket for constable, Casey, route 5, is a foreman for Sundstrand Heat Transfer, Dowagiac. He and his wife, Jane, have four sons. Jerue, route 5, manages a grain elevator for Farmer's Grain, Inc., in Decatur. He and his wife, Janet, have two children. Metras, route 5, an incumbent, is a mechanic for the Cass county road commission. He and his wife, Ann, have one daughter. Rohdy, route 7, another incumbent, is a production manager with Con-

solidated Die Casting, Dowagiac. He and his wife, Sharon, have three children.

On the Republican ticket for constable, Beach, route 7, is a truck driver for the Cass county road commission. He and his wife, Anita, have two children. Brosnan, route 5, Topash road, is the owner and operator of Brosnan Gravel Supply. He and his wife, Maxine, have eight children. Gould, route 6, owns and operates Jack Gould Poured Wall. He and his wife, Lydia, have three children. Small, route 7, is a self-employed tool and die designer. He operates the Expert Design Service. He and his wife, Shirley, have five children.

Allegan County Offices

Prosecutor



Unopposed

FRED R. HUNTER III, 38, route 6, 10644 Allegan (Republican-incumbent), is unopposed for election to the office of county prosecutor. He was appointed prosecutor in July, 1974. He was recently married to the former Jackie Doublesheim of Allegan. He has three children by a previous marriage.

Sheriff



THOMAS R. FLEMING, 30, of 2916 102nd avenue, Allegan (Democrat), has been a security officer at Western Michigan university, Kalamazoo, for the past seven years. He was an Allegan deputy from 1967 to 1969. He has graduated from basic and advanced police training courses and is seeking elected office for the first time. He and his wife Nancy have two children.



ROBERT SCHRA, 38, route 3, Hamilton (Republican), defeated incumbent Sheriff Robert J. Whitcomb and four other challengers in the August primary election for the GOP nomination. Schra is currently employed by Overland Industrial Equipment, Holland. He was a Holland policeman seven years. He was defeated for the GOP nomination in 1968. He and his wife Karen have two children.

County Clerk



CARRIE WARNER, 19, 388 East Franklin street, Otsego (Democrat), is making her first attempt for elected office. She is a secretary-receptionist for the S & L Bolt Co., Otsego. She and her husband Ira have no children.



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Cass Township Elections

Wayne

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Drain Commissioner



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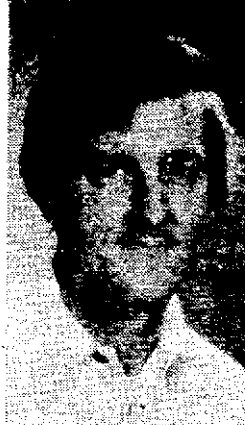


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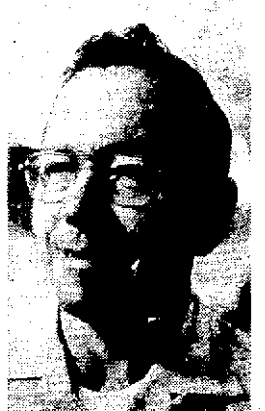
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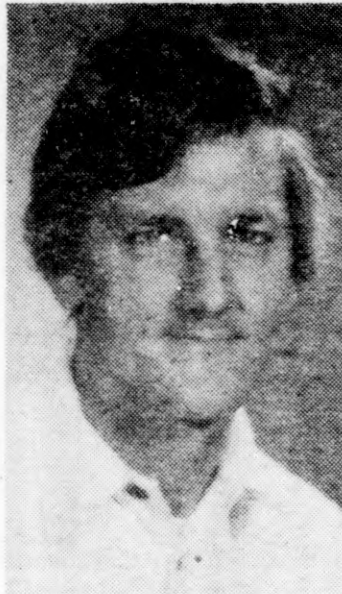


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All of Saugatuck and Laketown townships and part of Holland city.



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All of Fillmore township and part of Holland city.



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All of Overisel, Salem, Heath and Valley townships.



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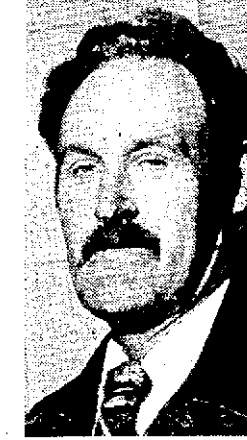
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All of Dorr and Leighton townships.



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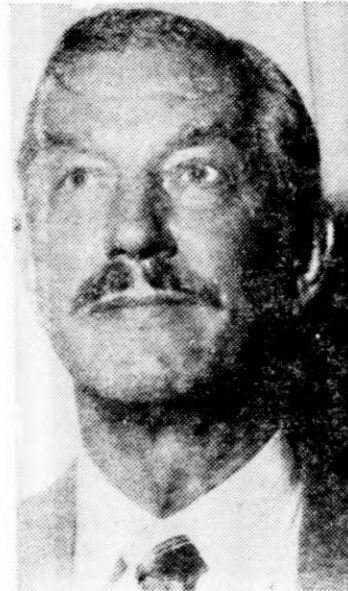
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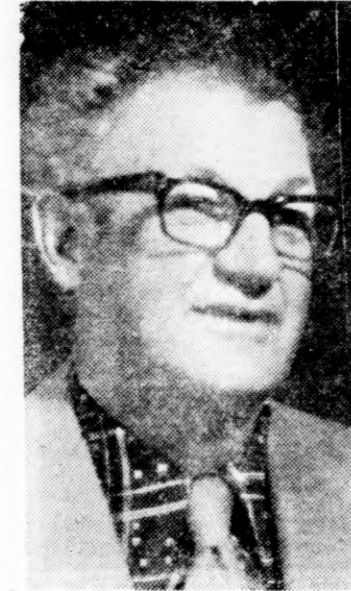
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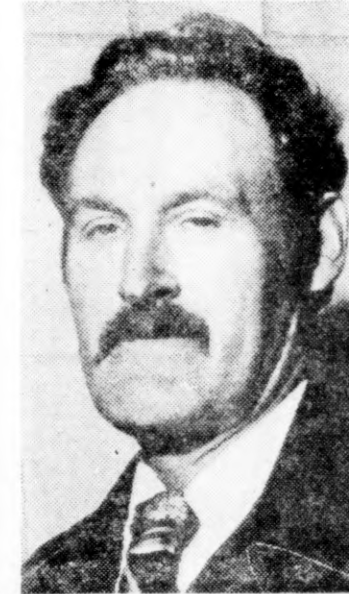
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District 9

All of Dorr and Leighton townships.



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RALPH SYTSMA, 58, route 1, Wayland (Republican-incumbent), is a farmer on 144th street in Leighton township. He has served on the board for the past eight years. He and his wife Ethel have three children.

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